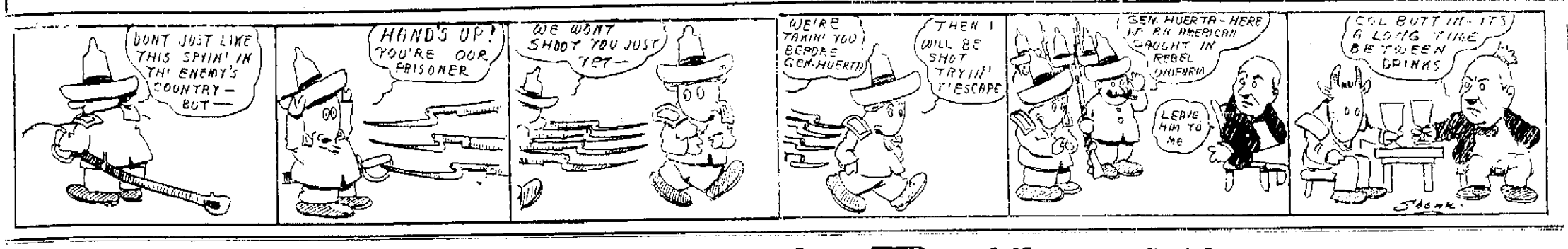
"BILLY BUTT IN" — Was Huerta Once Governor of North Carolina?



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Rich New York Girl Drops Out Of Sight Leaving No Clue

New York, Dec. 8.—Every po girl's father is a personal friend man in greater New York has of Mayor Gaynor and has appealed tions to search for Miss to the mayor to expedite the po de McCann, the 23 year old, tice search. She was last seen of Robert McCann, a on Wall street. Because of the wholesale grocer who discovery of the poisoned needle peared last Thursday as hand great apprehension is felt mysteriously as did Dorothy Arnold for the safety of the girl. She left home last Thursday. Three years ago this week possibly to go to the home of Dorothy Arnold, pretty heiress, prominent children where she did disappeared and no trace of her volunteer instruction work. The has ever been found.

ULSTER WILL FIGHT

SAYS ADMIRAL LORD BERESFORD

London, Eng., Dec. 8.—"Ulster will fight. If the British government forces a civil and religious war in Ireland, I and my officers and the men of the navy will aid Ulster," Admiral Lord Charles Beresford told the United Press today.

England's great sea fighter has taken up the cudgel for the Irish unionists in their fight.

"There are now 80,000 armed men in Ulster and civil war will come if the British government attempts to force Home Rule on the people of Ulster," said Beresford.

BIG LINER WAS ON FIRE, PASSENGERS RESCUED

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 8.—The government wireless station here has received word that the Mallory liner Rio Grande, which was reported afire last night, does not need assistance and was proceeding under her own steam. The revenue cutter Seminole, which has been ordered to aid the Rio Grande, in view of wild reports of the Rio Grande, a freighter which carried several passengers, was in a sinking condition, was denied.

New York, Dec. 8.—Denial of Norfolk wireless reports that passengers of the Mallory line Rio Grande were rescued from fire at sea by the British steamer Swanmore was made by Mallory line officials today who said:

"The ship was not the Rio Grande. The Rio Grande carried no passengers."

Reports had it that there was fire in the hold of the Rio Grande and that her passengers were transferred to the Swanmore which responded to a wireless appeal for help. Later the fire was put out and the passengers returned to the original vessel.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The revenue cutter Seminole reported via wireless to headquarters today that the Rio Grande needed no further assistance but said nothing of yesterday's report that 197 passengers were taken from the vessel after a fire was discovered. The Seminole is standing by Cape Fear river hoping to learn the exact position of the Rio Grande.

SEARCHING MINE FOR MURDERER

Bingham, Utah, Dec. 8.—Posses continued their search of the Utah Apex mine today for Ralph Lopez. Armed with shot guns the deputies exploring the workings were prepared for another underground battle such as occurred Nov. 2 when two of their number were killed. The general belief was that Lopez escaped several days ago. He entered the mine Nov. 27 after he had killed a Mexican miner and three peace officers Nov. 21.

CIVIL SERVICE BOARD UPHELD

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 8.—The state civil service commission completely exonerated the Cincinnati civil service commission on charges of favoritism made by Mayor-elect Spiegel. The board also exonerated Commissioner Wilby on charges of political activity, and declared all charges disproved and also commended the local board for its conscientious service.

MRS. CANTRILL DIES

Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 8.—Mrs. J. Campbell Cantrill, wife of the representative in congress from the seventh Kentucky district, died at her home here today. She was known in Washington and throughout the South. She was 40 years old.

COUNTRY IS IN GRASP OF A GREAT BLIZZARD

Washington, Dec. 8.—The storm that swept over the Great Lakes yesterday continued with shifting gales on the lakes and the Atlantic coast, in New England, rains in the Atlantic states and snows in the Ohio valley and the lake regions.

Temperatures have fallen over the East and South and it is freezing today as far south as the gulf states. Temperature will be lower in New England and it will rise Tuesday in the regions of the Great Lakes. Frost is expected tonight as far south as Florida.

Real Winter At Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 8.—Simon pure winter weather accompanied by a 60 miles northwester held Northern Ohio in its grasp today. The storm started yesterday with a drop in temperature of 20 degrees, bringing acute suffering to hundreds of poor families in lake shore cities where the storm is most severe. Charitable institutions were crowded today. The storm is general.

Big Snow In Wyoming

Denver, Colo., Dec. 8.—Southern Wyoming and parts of Idaho were practically isolated today owing to a snow storm. Conditions here are rapidly assuming normal.

DON'T HAVE TO SHUT OFF PASSES

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 8.—Geo. A. Arler, speaker of the house of representatives, today declared that the public utilities act enacted by the last legislature, to go in force January 1, next, does not shut off free transportation from the families of railroad employes in Pennsylvania, and any action in that direction by the railroads was voluntary on their part. The Pennsylvania road recently issued an order by which the families, from president to section hands, were prohibited from using passes.

THREE NON UNION MEN KILLED BY STRIKERS

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 8.—Fears that general rioting and general disorder following the killing yesterday of three non-union copper miners when without warning 20 shots were fired into the boarding house of Tiuanas Daily, were expressed here today. The shooting is believed to have precipitated a crisis in the strike of 1500 copper miners. Today both factions were prepared for trouble. Six men are under arrest. One is said to have confessed, implicating the others.

Baxter Placed On Trial

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—Formal denial that he appropriated $3140 funds of the Columbus Savings & Trust company, on February 26, last year, the day the bank was closed by the state banking department, will be entered by attorneys for Clement E. Baxter of Lima, formerly examiner of the bank, at his trial which opened here today before Judge Bigger, in the criminal court. Much time was consumed in securing a jury.

In opening the case for the defense, counsel for the state declared that evidence at hand shows Baxter is guilty beyond a doubt; that a portion of the stolen funds were 26 one hundred dollar bills handled by the accused man. A score of interested Lima citizens were in court today. Several of them will appear later as witnesses in an effort to prove that Baxter was honest and upright at all times.

BUTTERWORTH NAMED

Washington, Dec., 8—President Wilson this afternoon nominated Thomas Butterworth to be appraiser of merchandise at Cincinnati.

MRS. PANKHURST IS RELEASED FROM PRISON

London, Eng., Dec. 8.—Accompanied by a heavy suffragette guard Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst greatly weakened by her last hunger and thirst strike, left Exeter before noon today on a regular train. She was brought to Lincoln's Inn, here, where a private apartment had been fitted up. She will be housed there indefinitely guarded always by the militants. The suffragettes planned to carry out the oath of "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond made yesterday, "that the government should never again take our beloved leader."

Twenty-two taxicabs in single file, 20 filled with militants, who shouted continuously, and one with Scotland Yard detectives, escorted the militant leader from Exeter here.

TOWN CAPTURED

Douglas, Ariz., Dec. 8.—The capture of Yxcuitlas Tepie by Mexican rebels under command of Col. Rafael Buelna was reported today in dispatches to the insurgent Yunta.

RATE CASE PASSED UP.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Supreme court today concluded its reading of opinions without making any decision in the big intermountain rate case or any other of the big cases now before it.

FIRST WOMAN LAWYER BURIED MONDAY

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 8.—Miss Lucile Cousins, who was the first woman lawyer in the United States, the first woman to hold the office of United States marshal, and the first woman to be graduated from Washington University, was buried here today. With her was lowered into the grave her most prized possession the United States marshal's badge of silver presented by President Cleveland to her father and upon his death to her. Miss Cousins died in poverty Saturday. Her burial was provided for by Mrs. W. H. Thompson, wife of a banker who in childhood was Phoebe's playmate.

President Talks To Suffragettes

Washington, Dec. 8.—President Wilson told a delegation from the National American Woman's Association that he favored a standing Woman's Suffrage Committee in the house of representatives, but he denied their request that he send a special message to congress urging the reform.

Marching by twos and fours with banners afloat, the suffragettes braved chilly winds of a raw day to storm the White House office. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw summarized their appeal briefly to the president, urging him to assist them either by sending a special message to congress or by including reference to suffrage in any general message he might deliver, urging his influence to have a special committee of the house appointed to consider the subject.

"I want you ladies, if possible," said the president, "if I can make it clear to you, to realize just what my personal situation is. I set myself this very strict rule when I was governor of New Jersey and have followed it when president, and shall follow it as president; that I am not at liberty to urge upon congress in messages policies which have not the encouragement and recognition of the people for whom I am spokesman. I have not presented to any legislature my private business and I never shall, because I consider that to be a process of the local government that I shall be spokesman for somebody not myself."

Jeweler Robbed

New York, Dec. 8.—During the 15 minutes that Solomon Goldman was absent from his jewelry store today and while crowds were passing on the sidewalk thieves plastered the windows with whitewash, unlocked the door with a key and stole jewelry worth $5000. The only clues are a few finger prints.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 8.—At the 29th annual convention of the Ohio National Guards today Columbus was unanimously chosen for the 1914 convention.

TO STIFFEN UP THE BANKS

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—A doubled riveted steel backbone in Ohio's banking system, the double liability of stockholders, was announced by State Bank Superintendent Lattanner today.

On January 1, 1914, every state bank will be required to furnish the names of stockholders and their individual holdings. Twenty bank examiners will then make examinations of their personal holdings to ascertain if they would suffice in case of failure to pay depositors. The shaky ones will be required to stiffen up.

NINETY SIX DROWNED IN FLOODS

Houston, Texas, Dec. 8.—Ninety-six persons were known to have been drowned in the floods that have swept through several sections in Texas. Twenty-five of the persons drowned last night or early today were in territory where warnings of the flood's coming had been posted for several days.

The crest of the flood today was nearing the gulf in the Brazos and Colorado rivers.

BATTLE SHIPS COMING HOME

On Board the Battleship Wyoming at Sea Via Wireless to San Miguel Azores, Dec. 8.—The vessels of the Atlantic fleet visiting European ports separated at sea at latitude 33 45 north longitude 33 5 west today. The Kansas, Ohio and Connecticut proceeded to Vera Cruz, Mexico via Guantanamo while the remainder of the vessels continued their voyage to United States waters. The warships were 300 miles from Guantanamo Bay and 2600 miles from New York.

STATE NEAR END IN KNABE CASE

Shelbyville, Ind., Dec. 8.—The state's final effort to connect Dr. Wm. R. Craig with the mysterious murder of Dr. Helen Knabe was made today when Augusta Knabe, cousin of the dead woman resumed the witness stand to complete her testimony under direct examination. The state planned to rest its case after her testimony. When Dr. Craig entered the court room with his little daughter, Marion, both were talking and laughing.

FOUGHT DUEL.

Rome, Italy, Dec. 8.—Deputy Gaudarotta, a Liberal, was disabled today by a wound in the arm, inflicted by Deputy Defelice Giuffrida, a Socialist, after the two had fought 24 bouts in a rapier duel. The quarrel arose out of an incident in the chamber of deputies.

HUERTA AND CARRANZA NEGOTIATE FOR PEACE SAYS MEXICAN RUMOR

(By United Press Correspondent.)

Mexico City, Dec. 8.—General Huerta, dictator, and General Carranza, head of the constitutional forces, are deep in negotiations for peace, according to well informed reports here today.

Reports of a pending agreement are given credence in diplomatic circles because of astonishing inside news that Carranza and General Villa have quarreled violently and Villa has threatened to march on Carranza's headquarters with his army.

Affairs are approaching a crisis here. Huerta's circumstances, coupled with a scarcity of food and fuel the general dissatisfaction of the people and the report that the Zapata rebels from the south have entered the city singly and are scattered throughout the city is causing extreme tension. Huerta today ordered all trains entering the city watched. His order that in case of fighting foreigners should be unmolested and allowed to go their own way by federals was regarded as indicating fighting will soon begin in Mexico City.

Juarez, Mex., Dec. 8.—As a means of placing the rebel territory on a more normal basis, General Villa today issued an order that all foodstuff shall be sold at prices usually obtained in times of peace. Stores in Chihuahua and other rebel cities are ordered to sell at prices named by Villa. The rebel leader said that if merchants attempted to charge any higher prices he would confiscate their goods.

Villa has been on the alert for a possible attack by federals and his patrol of 225 miles from Juarez and Chihuahua has been in the nature of a precaution.

Mexico City, Dec. 8.—A battle between the federal troops under Gen. Joaquin Maas, former governor of Pueblo, and the rebel army commanded by General Candido Aguilar is expected within a few days somewhere north of Tuxpan. War offices today report a general advance from Tuxpan of a column of federals said to number 1800 men. The rebels are known to be concentrated near the town of Tamiahua north of Tuxpan and appear to be preparing to resist the federals with 3000 men. "All persons guilty of spreading false and alarming reports into Mexico are to be drafted into the army at Quintano Roo or Sonora," according to a notice prominently displayed in the government newspapers today.

BIG COAL DEAL IN WEST VA. HANGS FIRE

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 8.—Completion of the deal by which some 4000 acres of coal lands in the New River district were to have been transferred to an English syndicate through Morgan Davis, of Richmond, Va., George H. Penniman, of Baltimore, and H. L. Kirby, of New York, composing the New Virginia syndicate, was delayed today when it became known that a plan for an extension of the option for six months was desired. The deal is said to involve $50,000,000.

THE SAYRES IN LONDON

London, Eng., Dec. 8.—Under the guidance of the family of Ambassador Page, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre spent today sight seeing in London. Tonight they will be guests at a dinner given by the Authors Club.

WATER FAMINE IN CINCY IS ACUTE

Cincinnati, Dec. 8.—With the city's water supply precariously low due to the bursting of a 36-inch water main Saturday, Mayor Hunt issued a proclamation forbidding the use of water for other domestic purposes than drinking and cooking. All laundries are closed. There is no relief in sight before Wednesday.

HOLDS ONTO HIS JOB

Springfield, O., Dec. 8.—The common pleas court today issued a writ restricting the county commissioners from removing John M. Sullivan, Democrat, as infirmary superintendent. Sullivan expects to hold his position until January 2nd, when he will be eligible under the civil service law.

Jesse Pence, Republican, was chosen by the commissioners for the job, but the court held Sullivan could not be removed without cause.

HOUSE URGES A NAVAL HOLIDAY

Washington, Dec. 8.—By an overwhelming vote the house today passed the Hensley resolution approving the suggestion of Winston Churchill, British lord of the admiralty, that the nations of the world abstain for one year from any naval building program. The resolution urged President Wilson to cooperate in urging the world powers to enter an agreement for a naval holiday.

So there is another blizzard on in th' Ohio Valley. To a fellow down here in Mexico this talk about blizzards and zero weather sounds sort o' queer. I see right now that Herb and Tom aint equal t' th' occasion. So if th' weather back home goes t' cuttin' up didoes I'll have t' hike back an' take hold of th' reins. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight, except snow near the lakes. Tuesday fair with rising temperature.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature Tuesday.

Columbia Today

"The Touch Of A Child"

A beautiful drama full of interest.

"The Schemers"

A comedy with JOHN BUNNY AND FLORA FINCH

Tomorrow

'Jerry's Mother-in-Law'

A special comedy in two reels featuring SIDNEY DREW and CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG

Wednesday and Thursday

"The Battle of Waterloo"

The Greatest War Picture Ever Produced. Historically Correct.

8000 MEN 500 CANNON 6000 HORSES

DON'T FAIL TO SEE THIS GREATEST OF ALL PICTURES.

Warm Times During License Hearing

Harry Edwards, a colored applicant, who was refused a saloon license by the Scioto County Liquor Licensing Board last Tuesday, had his hearing on appeal before the Board Monday morning at its offices in the Kricker building. Decision in the case was reserved by the Board until time has been given to make an investigation as to what connection Edwards' uncle, William Blackberry, of Huntington, W. Va., would have with the place if the license was granted.

The license was originally refused on the protest of George A. Lochbaum, who lives a few doors from the Kearns property, at 1019 Eleventh street, in which the saloon would be located. None of Lochbaum's family was present at the hearing, Judge A. Z. Blair looking after their interests. Attorney Joseph Micklethwaite represented Edwards.

During the examination by Judge Blair, Edwards admitted that he had been arrested once for shooting "craps," and that he had gambled a few times since. He claimed that Blackberry, his uncle, was going to loan him the money to start in business, but that he would have no proprietary interest.

William Gooden, Daniel Fawcett, William Price, Robert Kearns and Jud Whitfield, all well-known colored citizens of the North End, testified to the applicant's good reputation. Kearns is the owner of the property and was an applicant for a license, but he has withdrawn his application.

At the close of the hearing Edwards volunteered the statement that members of the Lochbaum family had told him that they were not opposed to the granting of the license, but Judge Blair rebutted this by pointing out that their signatures on the protest was convincing evidence that they were. The hearing was punctuated with repeated clashes between the opposing attorneys.

Turvey Was Knocked Out

When the police responded to a call at the corner of Second and Court streets, after midnight Saturday night, they discovered Lee Turvey on the sidewalk, where he had been felled by several parties. Turvey was unable to identify his assailants as they were chance acquaintances.

Barber Shop Is Sold

A change in the ownership of the Opera House barber shop was announced Monday. H. O. Williams has taken over the place, which has been under the control of William Cornute. Mr. Williams is a splendid workman and will run a first-class shop.

Builds Up

This is the work of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Sold for 60 years.

Ask Your Doctor. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Made Fatal Mistake

Mrs. Catherine Hodge of Sixth street, has returned from Newport, where she attended the funeral services of her uncle, J. M. Alloway, who died following a week's illness, caused by drinking a solution of bichloride of mercury by mistake. In a desperate effort to save Alloway's life, he was kept wrapped in hot sheets for five days. This method of treatment in such cases has brought good results, but in this instance it was not effective. Alloway was conscious to the last and explained every phase of his condition to those grouped around his bedside.

Blizzard Hits City

The balmy weather the city has been favored with for several weeks was tied into a knot Sunday by a cold wave that arrived unheralded. The weather man had nothing to do with it, as he predicted fair weather Sunday. There was a light fall of rain Sunday morning, but it soon was turned into snow. A high wind swept the city and the day was an extremely disagreeable one. The minimum temperature Monday morning was 18 above, the coldest of the season. The prayers of the gas and coal men were answered when the temperature fell from 56 Saturday evening to 18 above Monday morning, a drop of 38 degrees in a few hours.

Ten Boys Caught In A Car Raid

The incorrigible boys were run into probate court Monday morning by the car load. Detective Bemens and Captain Roma Walker surrounded an N. & W. coach in the N. & W. yards and captured ten boys, who had built a fire in the coach and were enjoying themselves playing cards, and smoking cigarettes. None of these boys were over sixteen years old. They gave the following names: Homer Selzer, Homer Hammock, Russell Puckett, Glennie Smith, Joseph Gilmore, Morris Tipton, Ray C. Graves, Oscar Williams, Proctor Adams, and Marshall Sargent. They will be given a hearing later. The indications are that others will be drawn into the deal, and the party who sold the boys cigarettes may be unearthed.

Has Quit School

Deciding to discontinue his studies in the Academy of Arts at Chicago, Earl Brand, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brand, of Eighth street, has returned to Portsmouth. He will remain here throughout the winter.

Hemenway Here To Deliver Talks

HERBERT D. HEMENWAY

Herbert D. Hemenway, who is in charge of the civic improvement department of the National Society for Broader Education with headquarters in Carlisle, Pa., arrived in Portsmouth Monday to deliver a series of talks in the High school building.

Mr. Hemenway is a splendid, forceful talker and he will have an interesting message to deliver to the citizens as well as school children of Portsmouth. On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings he will make talks in the High school auditorium and the public is cordially invited to these. Mr. Hemenway will also give illustrated talks to the children in the primary grades of the local schools.

Red Men's Officers

Navajo Tribe, No. 263, Improved Order of Red Men, of George, O., after a successful year, elected a new staff of officers Saturday night as follows: Charles Bayless, sachem; Green Conley, senior sagamore; Charles Hunter, junior sagamore; Abbey Enlitt, keeper of records; George McDaniels, keeper of wampum.

Explains Game Laws

"Some people have the impression that the deputy game wardens operating in Scioto county are making arrests just to get the fees," stated Judge Harry Ball Monday morning, in commenting on some remarks attributed to prominent people. Restrictions must necessarily be placed on the hunters or game would soon be exterminated in the county. Quail and squirrel are unusually scarce as a result of the merciless slaughter of the man with the gun."

"My deputies are not making arrests just to have their name in print. They are enforcing the laws and protecting game. Just because the shoe pinches in some instances, and some people are naturally opposed to any kind of a law which does not conform to their plans, they spread malicious reports about the deputies."

It might be stated that each deputy draws $2 per day while he works and receives no money whatever from the fees in the cases. The state compensates him, not for the number of arrests he makes, but for the time he consumes in enforcing the law. Since he has been a deputy game warden, Judge Ball has not received a cent of compensation.

ROBBER AT WHITMAN'S

Slabtown had a burglar scare Saturday night. Some prowler had the nerve and audacity to attempt to enter the home of Harry Whitman, 844 Front street.

No chance for the burglar. The watchdog-like cautiousness and the Napoleonite bravery of the Whitman family allowed no prowler to insult the interior of the home with his presence. It was only a look and promise he gave the house—and he left badly frightened. The police were given another of their already generous descriptions of the thief.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Dec. 8, 1913.

Observations taken at 7 a. m.

STATIONS.	Flood stage. Feet.	Height of river. Feet.	Change since last report.	Precipitation in last 24 hours. Inches.
Franklin	15	2.0 R	+0.2	.24
Greensboro	18	11.5 R	+3.6	.24
Pittsburgh	22	5.1 R	+1.1	.28
Wheeling	36	9.3 F	0.4	.31
Parkersburg	36	7.4 F	-0.2	.16
Charleston	30	5.5 F	-0.3	.26
Point Pleasant	39	9.6 R	+1.2	.20
Portsmouth	50	14.7 R	+0.8	.22
Cincinnati	50	16.1 F	-0.7	.04

RIVER FORECAST.

Fair and cold weather tonight and Tuesday. River will rise slowly.

H. C. DONNALLY, River Observer.

Rains above the past forty-eight hours have swelled the Ohio river. The local gauge shows a slight rise and registers 15 and a half feet. Boat departures Tuesday are the Tacoma for Cincinnati at noon, and the locals, the Klondike for Rome at 2 and the Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

AT THE NEW SUN

Rees Prosser, late of Al G. Field's minstrels, in a musical sketch, assisted by Miss Florence Thomas, introducing the latest popular songs, will be the headline feature at the New Sun for the first half of the week. Mr. Prosser is the popular tenor singer on the vaudeville stage, and while with the Al G. Field's minstrels, made many friends in Portsmouth, and no doubt he will receive a hearty welcome at the Sun as a vaudeville star.

Nelson, the one string violinist, Henry Florence, the comedy ventriloquist, and the Alphia troupe novelty hoop-rollers and a good reel of pictures will complete the bill.

Has Returned

Walter Stenger has returned from a visit with relatives at Bellevue, Ky.

Sciotoville Woodmen Choose Officers

Election of officers for the coming year brought out a large attendance of the Modern Woodmen of Sciotoville Saturday evening, and an excellent corps of officers was elected for the coming year. The newly-elected officers, who will be installed at the first meeting in January, are: Past Consul, Roy Rowley; Venerable Consul, Rufus Hupe; worthy adviser, Anson Chamberlain; clerk, Oregon Evans; banker, Ed Rowley; escort, Pearl Jenkins; watchman, Jesse Hodge; sentry, C. L. Mougey; trustee, Pearl Jenkins.

The Sciotoville camp now has a membership of 65 in good standing, and is in a prosperous conditoin.

DRY NATION SURE SAYS WHEELER

Nation-wide prohibition within the next few years was the prophecy uttered by Wayne B. Wheeler, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, before a large and attentive audience at the Second Presbyterian church Sunday morning. The occasion was the annual "Temperance Day" at the church, and the entire day was given to a furtherance of the temperance cause.

Mr. Wheeler reviewed at some length the work accomplished by the Anti-Saloon league during the past year, and the progress that had been made along the lines advanced by that organization throughout the state. He outlined the plan of campaign for the coming year, and urged upon his hearers the necessity of earnest and concentrated effort on their part to bring the desired results about. He was most optimistic in discussing the outlook for the future, which he maintained would show an increase in sentiment against the liquor traffic throughout the state.

He discussed the plan of the national organization to bring about nation-wide prohibition, and added that the various state organizations were working in complete harmony and co-operation toward this end. Nation-wide prohibition was inevitable, declared Mr. Wheeler, and the opponents of this plan were making their last determined stand, which must be met with the full strength of the temperance forces.

Mr. Wheeler left for Columbus on the afternoon N. & W. train. While here, he was in conference with the Anti-Saloon leaders of Portsmouth and Scioto county, in the course of which the local conditions were brought up and discussed.

Mr. Gableman Home.

Deputy City Auditor George L. Gableman returned home Sunday night from a three days' visit to Columbus.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

For a hoarse, deep cough and raw, sore chest—cold attacking bronchial tubes or lungs, there is nothing better nor as soothing. *Price, 25 cts.*

No Morphine or Chloroform. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

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Select for them Suit, Overcoat, Hats, Caps, Underwear, Fancy Vest, Sweater Coat, Sweater Vest, Shirt, Tie—in fact everything usually carried by an up-to-date Gents' Store.

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Women's long comfortable Coats $4.50 to $20.00.
Misses' and Children's Coats $3.50 to $15.00.
Women's, Misses' and Children's Furs $1.00 per set and up

MARABOU MUFFS, SCARFS AND RUFFS

Women's, Misses' and Children's Dresses, Kimonos and Dressing Sacques
Sweaters, Auto Caps.
Waists, Outing Gowns.
Rain Coats.

CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS

With or without Xmas boxes.
Men's, Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs.
Plain Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Initial Handkerchiefs.
Thousands of handkerchiefs for your selection. Prices 3c to 50c each.

DOLLS

If you have not already visited our Doll Carnival don't miss seeing it. Bring the children.

Dolls by the hundreds, Crying Dolls, Laughing Dolls, Dressed Dolls of every sort, Jointed Dolls, Rag Dolls.

TOILET SETS

In Silver, Silver finish, Parisian Ivory finish, etc.
Toilet Sets .... 50c to $25.00
Manicure Sets .... 50c to $10.00
Military Sets, Whisk Broom and Brush Sets.
Smoker Sets .... 48c to $1.48
Shaving Sets .... 48c to $5.00
Glass Candle Sticks .... 35c and 50c
Casseroles of all kinds.
Jewel Cases .... 10c to $1.50

UMBRELLAS

22 and 24 inch for the little folks at .... 48c, 75c and $1.00
26 inch Umbrellas for Misses and Women .... 48c to $5.00
28 inch Umbrellas for Men 48c to $5.00

CHRISTMAS GLOVES AND HOSIERY

Gloves for Men, Women and Children. Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Knit Gloves. Special in Women's Kid Gloves with Paris Point, all shades, per pair ..$1.00
Women's Silk Hose, per pair 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.
Misses' and Children's Silk Hosiery, all sizes, per pair 25c
Men's Silk Socks in all colors, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Bags, Leather Bags .... 50c to $4.50
Beaded Bags .... 25c to $3.00
Silver Mesh Bags .... 50c to $6.00
Jeweled Hair Pins, Combs and Comb Sets.
Genuine Diamond Rings, special $2.98
Coin and Vanity Purses ...25c to $5.00
Cameos, Pendants, Brooches, Bar Pins, and Pin Sets.
Men's Ties in Xmas boxes 25c
Men's Suspenders in Xmas boxes 25c and 50c.
Men's Hose Supporters 25c

Splendid assortment of Silk Fabrics, Wool Fabrics and Wash Fabrics for waists and dresses.

Grand values in Cotton and Wool Blankets and warm knit Underwear.

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.

MASONIC TEMPLE "THE STORE ACCOMMODATING" FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE

MORE MEN ARE IDLE OWING TO WALK OUT

Concerning the labor trouble at the Selby Shoe company, which is slowly but surely affecting the entire plant, there was little to give out for publication Monday by either side.

At union headquaters, Fifth and Chillicothe streets, there was an air of optimism, those who have walked out being very hopeful that the trouble will shortly be adjusted. The men are enjoying themselves in playing checkers and other innocent games, all of them strictly observing the wishes of the executive board that they remain at their hall during the entire day, and especially to stay away from the plant.

Organizer Keenan stated that the total number now out at the Selby plant would total 150. He added that the entire welt room was idle and claimed that the number would be augmented each day. He stated that as fast as the men come out they are affiliating themselves with the organization he represented.

"Practically every inseamer, stitcher and rounder is out," said Mr. Keenan, "and unless the trouble is settled within the next two or three days, the entire plant will have to close down. We feel that we are in the right. We are not worrying in the least with reference to food, clothing or finances, the men will be well taken care of."

Mr. Keenan added that regular meetings of the U. S. W. of A. would be held each afternoon, and that a mass meeting would be held in the union hall, Fifth and Chillicothe streets, tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. While Mr. Keenan will make the principal address, several labor leaders in the allied trades will make short addresses. The meeting will be of principal interest to shoeworkers and union men in general, but will be open to the public.

Mass Meeting Sunday Afternoon.

Sunday afternoon Edward Keenan, business agent and organizer of the United Shoe Workers of America, addressed a mass meeting of union men at the Exhibit theatre, talking for more than an hour and reviewing the situation that led up to the trouble at the Selby Shoe company. Mr. Keenan is quite an orator and that his audience of nearly 300 men was in sympathy with him was shown by the cheers that greeted many of his statements. Mr. Keenan warmed up to his task and when he completed his address at 3:30 he was coatless and sweating like a trooper. At the close of his remarks the following resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

"Whereas, The existing trouble now involved by the Selby Shoe company and Local No. 80, United Shoe Wokers of America, and

Whereas, The entire business of the city may suffer to the amount of thousands of dollars, along with the suffering that may confront the shoeworkers and their families in the event that a general strike is developed:

"Be It Resolved, At a mass meeting held under the auspices of Local No. 80, U. S. W. of A. that all present endorse the action taken by Local No. 80, U. S. W. of A. in demanding the reinstatement of these two members."

Robbery Alleged

For the alleged theft of raw furs valued at $20.00, Lloyd McGraw was arrested at Nauvoo Sunday by Constable George T. Davis and Deputy Sheriff Pete Smith. McGraw had taken refuge at the home of his sister, Mrs. William Bumgardner, who at first denied he was in hiding there and who offered quite a little resistance to the officers. She stood aside later on and McGraw was found in bed. The furs were stolen from William Thornton, of Rome, and sold to Henry Shively.

McGraw was placed in the county jail and Monday afternoon was taken to Rome by Constable Davis, where he will face a squire on the charge of petit larceny.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 8—The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 70⅝.
American Beet Sugar, 23¼.
American Sugar Refining, 102⅞.
Baltimore & Ohio, 93⅜.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 57.
Illinois Central, 108⅜.
Louisville & Nashville, 132½.
New York Central, 91¾.
Norfolk & Western, 103¼.
Pennsylvania, 108.
United States Steel, 57⅜.
United States Steel, Preferred, 105.
Western Union, 62⅝.

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8—Wheat: Dec., 88½ to 88¼; May, 92 to 91⅞; July, 89⅛ and ¼ to 89⅛.

Corn: Dec., 71⅞ to 71½; May, 71 to 70⅝; July, 69⅞ to 69¾ and ⅞.

Oats: Dec., 40; May, 43 to 42⅞ and 43.

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Wheat: Dec., 88; May, 91¾; July, 88⅞.

Corn: Dec., 71; May, 70¾; July, 69½.

Oats Dec., 39⅞; May, 42¾; July, 42.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8—Hogs: receipts, 15,000; market, strong; light yorkers, $7.30 to $7.85; heavy yorkers, $7.55 to $8.00; pigs, $5.50 to $7.10.

Cattle: receipts, 25,000; market, steady; beeves, $6.65 to $7.90; Texas steers, $6.65 to $7.70; stockers and feeders, $4.80 to $7.65; cows and heifers, $3.30 to $8.20; calves, $6.50 to $11.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 38,000; market, steady; sheep, natives, $4.00 to $5.35; lambs, natives, $6.30 to $7.70.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 8—Hogs: receipts, 13,000; heavy yorkers, $7.95 to $8.00; light yorkers, $7.80 to $7.90; pigs, $7.50 to $7.75.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 13,000; top sheep, $5.00; top lambs, $7.90.

Calves: receipts, $6; top, $11.50.

Was Suspended

Work on the exterior of the government building was suspended Monday morning owing to the extreme cold. A temporary delay in the completion of the drive in the rear of the building is a result.

Sciotoville W. O. W.

Sciotoville Lodge W. O. W. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening.

New Barber

George Wills has taken a position as razor wielder at Charles Sperry's barber shop.

Holy Day Observed

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception was observed in St. Mary's and Holy Redeemer churches, Monday, high and low mass being read by Fathers McGuirk and Goebel. [illegible] will be held tonight at 7:30. As is the custom on this day, school was dismissed Monday.

On Business Trip

Frank Stanton is in Columbus on a short business trip.

Officers Elected By Christian Church

At a congregational meeting of the members of the First Christian church, Sunday morning, the following excellent corps of officers were elected for the ensuing two years. They, with the assistance of the holdovers, will constitute the official board and the church no doubt will continue to prosper under the new administration:

Elders—Chester Kerr, B. A. Leichner, J. D. Ramey and Walter Adams.

Trustees—For five years, L. C. Ayers; for one year, Wiley Tipton.

Deacons—W. M. Miller, Fred Valliard, Gilbert Willis, Frank McGlone, R. F. Strother, Dr. J. E. Rogers, G. W. Edwards, James Moore, L. F. Lemon, Quincy Hughes, O. D. Morgan and Luther Ehrig.

TERMINALS

Rev. Freeman Chase will teach the Bible class at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening.

Stewart Hoke, N. & W. brakeman, visited home folks in Ironton Sunday.

Miss Fannie Daniels of Kenova, is visiting Misses Nannie Canderbury and Eliza Osborn on Walnut street.

Supt. T. J. Carey returned Saturday night from a three days business trip at Roanoke, Va.

Assistant Supt. L. C. Ayers of the N. & W., is off duty on account of a slight attack of quinsy.

Bob McCorkle, N. & W. stenographer, spent Sunday in Cincinnati with home folks.

Cathaline Wilson of Gallia street, who it was feared was developing typhoid fever, was improved Monday morning.

GREAT WAR FILM AT THE COLUMBIA

Without a doubt the greatest war feature ever shown in the local picture world, will be the "Battle of Waterloo," which will be produced at the Columbia theatre, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. This wonderful film was taken from the actual fields of warfare and is historically correct in every detail. In its production 8000 men, 500 cannon and 600 horses are used. The Battle of Waterloo will be the biggest hit ever scored by a motion picture theatre in Southern Ohio. The Columbia was fortunate in securing the film, and the popular play house will no doubt do the biggest business in its history Wednesday and Thursday. Five reels will be necessary to show the wonderful battle which spelled "finis" to the career of that great military genius, Napoleon, the "Man of Destiny." See just how Napoleon looked and how he commanded his military forces; see the Duke of Wellington, a genius second to the great Napoleon. See Wellington's greatest aide, General Bob Blucher, as he defeats Grouchy at Havre and then hastens to the aid of Wellington. It will be a historical treat, and avery student in the city as well as ever historian should not fail to be present at one of the performances.

For tonight the Columbia has two splendid feature films, "The Touch of a Child," a beautiful drama full of interest, and "The Schemers," a comedy with John Bunny and Flora Finch enacting the leading roles.

Steel Plant Resumes

The plant of the Portsmouth Steel company, which has been idle since last Thursday resumed operations in all departments Sunday night and Monday morning. For the next ten days the plant will work single turn. The temporary suspension of work was made to put down new water mains.

AKRON MANAGER IS SIGNED BY HUNTINGTON

That Huntington expects to cut a wide swath in the Ohio State League next year became known Monday, when the president of the Blue Sox, Dr. R. Stern, stopped off in Portsmouth and announced to President W. N. Galdeman and Manager Pete Childs that he had signed John Siegel as manager of the team for 1914. Dr. Stern met Mr. Siegel in Columbus and the two had no trouble in reaching satisfactory terms.

Manager Siegel was manager of the Akron team of the Interstate League, and is a ball player of considerable ability. He has been away at the top and will no doubt give Huntington a winner from the start. He is a particular friend of Harry Hinchman of this city, the two notables having played together on the Erie and Wilkesbarre teams several years ago. They were roommates and a strong attachment sprung up between them.

Dr. Stern stated that the outlook for a successful season at Huntington was extremely bright. He is an ardent fan and a gentleman of the 18 karat brand. He had a splendid visit with Messrs. Galdeman and Childs, who, while they wished him well, informed him that he might as well prepare himself for Portsmouth's dust, as the ex-Champs would be right on top at the finish.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of December, 1913, at 1 o'clock p. m., on the premises of 1104 Thirteenth street, Portsmouth, Ohio, the undersigned, pursuant to an order of the Probate Court of Scioto County, Ohio, in the case of the undersigned as administrator of the estate of Frank Sloan, deceased, vs. Mary Sloan et al, in Case No. 11,001, will offer for sale, at public auction, the following described real estate, situate in the County of Scioto, in the State of Ohio, and in the City of Portsmouth, and more particularly described as follows: Being all that part of the west half of lot No. 105, extending from the south line of Thirteenth street south ninety-seven (97) feet to a private alley in the rear in the subdivision of out-lots No. 5, 12 and 16, Morgan's tract, by Commissioners appointed by the Court of Common Pleas within and for said County in the case of Michael J. Noel, plaintiff, vs. R. S. Long and others, defendants, a complete record of which can be found in Vol. 2, P. 282 to 291 of the complete records of said Court; the said half lot so conveyed being 27 feet, 10 inches in width, on the south side of Thirteenth street, in said city, and extending back south 97 feet to an alley and known generally as No. 1104 Thirteenth Street, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The above described property has been appraised at $700.00, and must be sold for not less than two-thirds of said appraised value.

Terms of sale. All cash in hand.

BENJ. L. JOHNSON.
Administrator of the estate of Frank Sloan, deceased.
Johnson & Johnson, Atty's.
Dec. 8-15-22-29

WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

Arthur Coe, who was recently sentenced to the Mansfield Reformatory, after he was found guilty of committing a theft, was Monday sued for divorce by his wife, Mae Pearl Coe, who resides on Tenth street. In her position she alleges extreme cruelty and that her husband is a prisoner in a penal institution. Judge Blair filed the petition.

To Elect Friday

Bailey Post G. A. R. holds its annual election of officers Friday night.

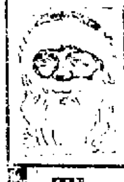
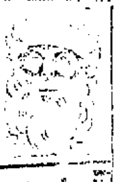
FOR CONSTIPATION, TORPID LIVER, HEADACHE, DYSPEPSIA--DIME A BOX

Get the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out tonight with Cascarets.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse and sweeten your stomach; remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and that misery-making gas; take the excess bile from your liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and constipation poison from the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box keeps your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular and you feel bully for months. Dont forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

CANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets
10 CENT BOXES—ANY DRUG STORE
ALSO 25 & 50 CENT BOXES
"WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP"

PRICES DO NOT GO SOARING UP AT CHRISTMAS TIME JUST WHEN YOU ARE PLANNING AND STRIVING TO STRETCH YOUR EARNINGS TO THE LIMIT. THIS STORE AIMS TO GIVE YOU THE MOST POSSIBLE FOR YOUR MONEY. THE SI STRAUS SALVAGE STORES, TWO TWENTY CHILLI, PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

PEOPLE WELCOME WITH GLAD ACCLAIM

That ALL IS READY HERE To Fill Their Holiday Wants!

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YOU CAN CHOOSE WITH KEEN DELIGHT, BECAUSE THE PURSE WON'T BE LEFT IN SORRY PLIGHT

MEN'S, WOMEN'S, AND CHILDREN'S GLOVES

Boys' and Girls' Fur Gloves, 35c value 23c
Boys' and Girls' Black and Tan Rough Rider Gloves, 50c value 39c
Adler's make of Boys' and Girls' Auto Gloves, very fine, 75c value 48c
Boys' and Girls' Kid and Mocha Gloves and Mitts, fur trimmed, 75c value 48c
Men's and Boys' Fur Gloves, leather palm, Boys' and Girls' Wool lined Kid Gloves, 75c value 48c
Young Men's and Misses' Cape Gloves, $1.50 value 98c
Ladies' English Walking Gloves, Black and Tan, Adler's guaranteed kind, $1.50 value 98c
Men's Kid and Mocha, Silk, Wool, also unlined Gloves, $1.50 value 98c
Men's Cape Gloves also silk lined, $2.50 value at $1.89
Men's Knit Wool Gloves, 50c value 24c
Men's Wool Knit Gloves, Black and colors 75c value 45c
Men's Black Leather Auto Gloves, $1.50 value at 38c
Men's Fur Gloves, leather palm, Corduroy lined, $1.50 value 98c

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSE

Men's Silk Hose and Silk Tie to match put up in fancy boxes, 75c value 39c
Men's Hose, Tie, Handkerchief, Tie Pin and Holder all to match in fancy boxes, $1 value at 48c
Men's Silk Hose, Tie and Leather Pocketbook to match all put up in fancy boxes, $1.50 value 98c
Men's Silk Hose, Tie and Silk Kerchief to match in gold paper boxes, $1.50 value 98c
Men's Silk Hose in Tan, Black and Grey, if three pairs are purchased put in fancy boxes 35c value 19c
Ladies' Silk Hose in Black, Tan and White, each one put in a fancy box free, 50c value 23c
Woman's Silk Hose re-enforced Lisle Toe and foot, put up in fancy boxes free, 50c value 39c
Men's and women's fine spun Silk Hose in fancy boxes, 75c value 46c
Men's and Ladies' Cotton Dress Hose, 10c value 7 1-2c
Children's 10c Ribbed Hose 7 1-2c
Men's heavy Wool Hose, 20c and 25c value 14c
Men's heavy Yarn 25c Sox 19c
Men's extra heavy 35c Yarn Sox 24c

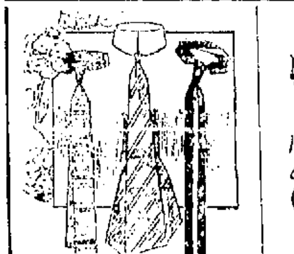
BOYS' AND GIRLS' PLAY SUITS

Nothing that you can think of will please the boys and girls more than a Play Suit. Ours have been selected with great care and will please the giver and receiver.

Boys' Indian Suits, ages 10 to 14 with nice feather head-dress, $1 value 79c
Boys' Indian Suits ages 3 to 14, with large feather headdress, worth $1.50, selling at 98c
Girls' red Indian Squaw suits made in best manner with fine feather head-dress, $1.50 kind 98c

BOYS' AND GIRLS' PLAY SUITS

Big Chief Indian Suits, ages 8 to 12, shirts have embroidered Indian beads, immense feather head dress, $2.50 value at $1.45
Big Chief Indian Suits, ages 8 to 12, gorgeous head dress, suit trimmed with feather and spangles, $4.50 suit at $2.45
Indian War Wams 6 ft. high, painted with Indian designs, worth $5 only $2.98
Cow Boy Suits, ages 4 to 14, with gun, holster, lasso, red kerchief, hat, pants trimmed with leather fringe, $1.50 value at 98c
Boys Rill Suits, $1.50 ones 98c
Sailor Suits, $2.00 ones 98c



TYLAND

Thousands of pretty ties in all colors of the rainbow all boxed free in handsome Christmas burnt wood or paper boxes.
Men's narrow four-in-hands beautiful patterns in beauty Christmas boxes, 50c value 19c
Men's narrow reversible silk and Knit four-in-hands, either in all plain colors or fancy cross stripes put up in burnt wood boxes, 50c value 23c
Tyland's new creations in open end and narrow four-in-hands all put up free in stand boxes without charge, 75c value 39c
Men's imported silk and Velvet open ends also narrow four-in-hands, all put up in swell Christmas boxes, the finest of silks and no better made at any price. These dollar Ties 48c
New holiday shield Ties also Silk Bat Wings, all selected for holiday buyers, 25c and 35c values 19c
New patterns in silk Bow Ties, also plain Blacks 25c value 10c

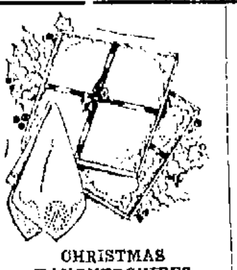
MEN'S BATH ROBES

Men's Bath Robes, newest designs in Wool Blanket cloths, worth $4 only $2.98
Men's Navajo Bath Robes in pretty patterns All Wool cloths, worth $5 only $3.48
Men's finest Bath or Lounging Robes, Shawl Collar, finest Wool Blanket cloth, $10 value $6.85
Men's Pajamas made out of heavy outing flannel, nicely trimmed, $1.50 value 98c

JEWELRY DEPARTMENT

ONLY GUARANTEED JEWELRY SOLD BY US

We are showing some special things in the Jewelry line and will replace anything that proves unsatisfactory.
Men's 50c Cameo Tie Pins in neat boxes 19c
Tie Pins and Holders to match some plain, others set with brilliants, 50c value 19c
Scarf Pins set with brilliants, put in nice boxes, 50c value 19c
Guaranteed Links set with Brazil Imitation diamonds, worth 50c in pretty boxes 19c
Tie Holders guaranteed Rolled Plate, 50c values 19c
Cameo Tie Pins and Cuff Buttons to match in neat velvet lined boxes, $1 value 48c
Tie Pins and Holders set with jewels to match, put up in fine boxes, $1 value 48c
Rolled Plated Link Cuff Buttons set with brilliants, 75c kind 39c
Tie Pins, Holders and Cuff Buttons to match in velvet lined boxes, $1 value 48c
25c solid Pearl Cuff Links, also Pearl and Enameled 25c Tie Holders 10c



CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS

In a section all by themselves you will find the grandest assortment of Holiday Handkerchiefs for Men and Women your eyes ever gazed upon.
A big assortment of Ladies' Silk Embroidered Lawn Kerchiefs, the very newest 1913 designs, 10c value 5c
Child's plain White Kerchiefs, 5c value 1c
Ladies' plain White Hemstitched 5c Kerchiefs 2 1-2c
Beautiful silk Embroidered Ladies' Swiss Kerchiefs, if bought in lots of six fancy boxes free, usually 15c now 9c
Pretty Silk Embroidered Swiss Kerchiefs, grand designs, 25c value only 12 1-2c
Ladies' Pure Linen 10c Kerchiefs only 5c
Ladies' plain White Cambric Initial Kerchiefs 10c value 5c
Ladies' ready for use plain White Jap Kerchiefs, hemstitched, 10c value 5c
Men's hemstitched fast colored bordered Kerchiefs, more than a thousand dozen, 10c value at 3c
Men's plain White, large size, hemstitched Handkerchiefs worth 10c only 4c
Men's Silk Initial Kerchiefs Japonette cloth, hemstitched, worth 10c now 5c
Men's finest Japonette Cloth Kerchiefs with large silk embroidered initials and hemstitched, 15c value 7 1-2c
Men's plain White fine hemstitched Japonette Kerchiefs, large size, 15c value 7 1-2c
Men's fine White President Kerchiefs 20c value 10c
Men's Linen 25c Handkerchiefs, any desired, with hem, boxed free in lots of six, sale price only 12 1-2c
Men's fine imported Irish Linen 50c Kerchiefs boxed free if six are purchased, only 19c

MUFFLER DEPARTMENT

Men's Pearl Clasp 75c Mercerized silk Mufflers, all colors 39c
Men's Mercerized Silk Knitted Scarfs six inches wide and 48 inches long with Silk fringe, great 75c value 48c
Men's Silk Mufflers, all plain colors, $1.50 values 98c
Men's beautiful Silk Scarfs, a swell gift, worth $2.50, Sale price only $1.45
Men's Square Mufflers, White and Black Brocaded Silk, worth 75c, selling at 48c
Ladies' Scarfs in all colors, fine quality Mull, usual price 50c, Sale Price 34c
Ladies' Beaded Silk Scarfs, perfectly exquisite, worth $1.50 and $2, sale price 79c
All Mufflers and Scarfs put in hand some holiday cartoons without extra charge.

MEN'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

IN FANCY BOXES, THE GREATEST ASSORTMENT EVER

Child's hemstitched Kerchiefs, 2 in a fancy burnt wood box or fancy box, worth 15c, only 10c
Ladies' Lawn Kerchiefs, Silk embroidered, two in a fancy box, 20c value, only 10c
Ladies' Swiss Kerchiefs, one in a pretty Santa Claus folder, 20c value, only 10c
Child's Silk Initial Kerchiefs, hemstitched, box of three, value 25c, only 14c
Ladies' Kerchiefs, three in a fancy box, 35c value 19c
Ladies' Kerchiefs, Silk embroidered, also Silk Initials, some in burnt wood boxes, others in fancy boxes in lots of three, value 50c, sale price 24c
Ladies' Kerchiefs, 3 in a handsome box; these are beautiful 75c value 39c
Ladies' Kerchiefs, put up 6 in fancy or burnt wood boxes; some plain white, others silk embroidered, a great Christmas special; $1 value 48c
Ladies' Kerchiefs In Silk embroidered either six in burnt wood or fancy holiday boxes, value $1, only 69c
Ladies Kerchiefs put up six in [illegible] extra large burnt wood boxes, just beautiful, $1.50 value 98c
Box of six Ladies' Pure Linen Kerchiefs, also silk embroidered, a grand present, either in enameled cases or fancy boxes, $2.00 value $1.39
Men's Silk Initial Cambric and Japonette hemstitched Kerchiefs, put up three in a fancy box, 50c value 24c
Men's plain White hemstitched Kerchiefs in burnt wood boxes of six, valued at 75c, only 48c
Men's fine Cambric Kerchiefs, four in a burnt wood box, $1.00 value 69c
Men's hemstitched Kerchiefs six in enameled or fancy boxes, $1.00 value 69c
Men's China Silk Initial Kerchiefs, plain white center with narrow colored hem, 50c value 24c
Men's pure White Silk 35c Kerchiefs 24c
Men's large size Silk Kerchiefs in plain colors, also white with colored hem, 50c ones 39c

CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS

Ladies' Umbrellas, Mission handles, $1 value 69c
Men's and Ladies' Suit Case Umbrellas, Mission and Box Wood handles, $1.50 ones 98c
Men's and Ladies' Umbrellas, guaranteed Rolled Plate Handles, extra value, worth $3, only $1.98
Men's and Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, Mission and Box Wood handles, $5 value $2.98
Men's and Ladies' new India Umbrellas, open 28 inches, closed 26 inches, $1.50 value 98c
All Umbrellas $1.98 and up put in holly boxes free.

SWEATER DEPRTMENT

To the right as you enter the main floor you will find the Sweater booth. Thousands of sweaters for men, women and children. These make appreciated presents.
Men's plain white "V" neck Sweaters, worth 75c only 39c
Men's and Boys' fine Cotton Grey Sweaters, new style, 75c value 48c
Men's and Boys' extra heavy Shawl Collar Sweater Coats, worth 75c now 48c
Child's Wool Sweaters, plain Red and Blue, 75c value 48c
Girls' Grey Wool Sweaters, $2.00 value 95c
Child's Red and Grey Norfolk Wool Sweaters, $1.50 value 98c
Men's and Boys' heavy Shawl Collar Coats in all colors, $2.00 value 98c
Men's Wool Shaker Knit Sweaters Shawl Collars, $3 value $1.98
Boys' and Girls' finest Worsted Norfolk Coat Sweaters in Red and Grey, $3 value $1.98
Men's and Women's Grey and Red Norfolk Wool Sweaters, $5 value $2.45
Men's Rope Knit Shawl Collar Sweaters, $5 value $2.95
Men's extra heavy Rope Knit Wool Sweaters, Shawl Collars, $6 value $3.95

MEN'S FANCY VESTS

Choose of any Fancy Vest in the house in newest patterns, made with panel fronts, flap pockets, pearl buttons, worth $3 to $5. Sale price $1.98

HOLIDAY SUSPENDERS AND GARTERS.

Men's 25c Suspenders in fancy boxes 19c
Men's 50c President Suspenders in beautiful boxes 39c
Men's Dress Suspenders in fancy boxes, narrow or wide Lisle Web, holiday buckles, stitched cafl ends, 50c values 39c
Paris 25c Garters in pretty gold paper holiday boxes 19c
Paris Silk Web 50c Garters in fancy boxes 39c
Paris Garters and Arm Bands to match in a beautiful case, 75c value 39c
Paris Ladies' Garters with Good Luck Rabbit's Foot attached, 50c value 23c
Men's Reversible Silk four-in-hands and suspenders to match in fancy boxes, worth 50c, Both 39c
Men's Silk Suspenders and four-in-hands to match. Worth $1.50, Both 98c

Keep this in mind that the Christmas Sale lasts until 10:30 p. m. Wednesday, December 24. Every advertised item on sale. Small lots on sale not advertised. Bring this with you, let it act as a guide.

Entire Block Of Stores Two Twenty Chillicothe St.

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They will do all that and more—they not only have the warmth, but the style, fit and snap. They come in blue, brown and grey—belted back and shawl collars. I have them at all prices up to $25.00. Other overcoats—warm and durable—all colors and prices. Best assortment of heavy suits and underwear in the city.

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DECISION IS RESERVED

Smith and Ferguson, applicants for a saloon license at 1111 Thirteenth street, who were refused a license by the County Board one week ago, were given a hearing on appeal before the Board Monday afternoon. After examining five witnesses, including the applicants, the Board announced that the matter would be taken under advisement and a decision rendered later.

Melvin Funk, Jackson Cropper and Rev. McDonald, pastor of the Findlay Street M. E. church, all of whom are well acquainted with conditions in that neighborhood, were the three witnesses summoned by the Board who testified. Ed Goodpaster and Samuel Hill, two others who were subpoenaed were unable to appear at the hearing.

Bartenders Met

Members of the bartenders union assembled at their headquarters on Second street Sunday afternoon for a short meeting. A week from next Sunday the annual election of officers take place.

DR. ROBE IS PRESIDENT

At the annual election of the Hempstead Medical Academy held Monday afternoon Dr. H. W. Robe was elected president. He succeeds Dr. G. W. Clarke. At 6:30 tonight this organization of physicians and surgeons will hold their annual banquet at the Washington hotel. The toastmaster will be Dr. A. L. Test. A number of short toasts will be given.

Home From Convention

Mrs. Pauline McKeown has returned from Columbus where she attended the School Survey Convention as a representative of the Portsmouth schools. Mrs. McKeown says the meeting was remarkably successful and will result in much advancement in school work.

Orders Horse Killed.

A complaint was filed with Judge Ball Sunday that a horse said to be owned by Jack Rhodes was abandoned. Judge Ball found the horse to be in bad shape and ordered it killed.

Jesse Brown, ex-postmaster of South Portsmouth, is reported critically ill with typhoid fever.

Court Of Appeals In Two Decisions

The court of appeals rendered decisions in two of the cases taken under consideration. They were the cases of Simon Straus and ... against ... Hirth and the case of William M. Miller against Alex M. ... [illegible]

The judgments of the lower court were affirmed in both cases.

The case of Miller against ... [illegible]

Going To Columbus

[illegible]

PAYING OUT MONEY

Estimates on the water works north end pumping station and street paving were allowed Monday by the board of control as follows:

North End pumping station, H. ... Cook, $1250, total $1563.10. ... Bros. on Kinney Lane, ... balance ... Eighteenth street, ... balance ... reservoir, ... balance ... New York Continental Jewel Filtration Co., two allowances, ... balance $1196 ... Filtration plant, ... balance $27,... [illegible]

Births.

Because the B. & O. S-W. ... agent at Oak Hill, decided to ... [illegible] ... work.

The stork left a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. ... Miller at Fullerton, Monday.

Goes With Heinz.

Accepting a position with the H. J. Heinz Company of fifty-seven variety fame, J. T. Woosley has resigned as agent of the American ... Company with offices in the Masonic Temple. The offices are temporarily closed until a successor can be appointed. Mr. Woosley expects to leave on Sunday for Cincinnati to assume his new duties.

New Cashier

Miss Ritta Scott, of Hillsboro, has taken a position as cashier at the ... [illegible]

SOCIAL NEWS

[illegible]

Navy Visitor

[illegible]

CONTEST OF LIONS

[illegible]

Several Candidates

[illegible]

The "City Beautiful" Committee
Of Portsmouth, Ohio,
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NATIONAL SOCIETY FOR BROADER EDUCATION
Presents
PROF. HERBERT D. HEEMENWAY, Lecturer
AT HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
"HOW TO BEAUTIFY HOME GROUNDS"
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10, 1913, 8:30 P. M.
"TREES AND TREE PLANTING."
THURSDAY DEC. 11, 1913, 8:30 P. M.
"HOW TO MAKE HOME and CITY ATTRACTIVE WITHOUT MONEY."
FRIDAY, DEC. 12, 1913, 8:30 P. M.

HOW TO AVOID CANCER

St. Petersburg, Dec. 8—It is easy enough to avoid getting cancer. Here's all you have to do: Pass your knives, forks, and spoons through the flame of a Bunsen burner before using; refrain from eating raw foods; boil and filter all water; see that all vegetables and fruits are well cooked before eating. Toast your bread to destroy microbes on the surface.

This is the advice of Professor Metchnikoff, the famous Russian bacteriologist, who claims to have established absolutely that cancer is not hereditary but is produced by microbes from the outside. "If more than one member of a family develops cancer it is simply because they live in unhygienic surroundings or fail to observe proper precautions against infection," says the professor.

GOODBYE "FIRE" HORSES

Cleveland, O., Dec. 8.—The day of the fire horses is passing. The thrilling sight of the three big bays dashing madly down the street with a roaring, steaming engine, belching smoke and fire behind them will be only a memory in Cleveland soon. Today a half dozen more fire horses answered their fire call for the last time. Two old horse drawn chemical wagons were replaced with flying squadron autos and a big hook and ladder horse drawn ... [illegible]

Old ... horses are no longer sent to the city farm at Warrensville. The department of charities and corrections is unable to care for all of them. Its stables are filled now. The service worn animals are sold at auction.

Naughty and Thrilling Pictures Barred

See What You Miss Under 'Censor' Law

Columbus, O., Dec. 8—Ohio's girl being stabbed and otherwise tortured; woman in low gown ... kissing a thief; dragging of a girl and taking her into the house of sin, showing nude children; train robbery; indecent dance by a half nude woman with a tough man; showing the interior of houses of ill-fame; muscle dance by women; woman poisoning her ... and a lynching scene.

[illegible]

The film exchanges are required to pay a fee for the censorship under the new law, this making its operation half sustaining.

Stieny After Job

[illegible]

HOBBY IS CANDIDATE

[illegible]

NO EASTERN MEN ON TEAM

[illegible]

HERRMANN SAID NIXY

[illegible]

Inquires For Father

From Smyrna, Fla., Mrs. Mary Keatley is inquiring of the whereabouts of her father, ... Bott, a former custom ... worker, who is supposed to reside in this city. Any information should be addressed to Box 973.

HAMMER AND PAINT

A new smokestack for the Cliff Coal company at Cliff, Ky., in which local finance is invested, was shipped over the C. & O. Friday by H. H. Hossman of this city.

The fixtures for Charles Sperry's new barber shop in the ... House building at Sixth and Chillicothe streets have arrived and are being installed. Mr. Sperry expects to be ready in his new place by the middle of next week. His fixtures are unusually attractive, and when completed and ready for occupancy the shop will be one of the finest in the state.

Smith Is Back

L. C. Smith has returned from a week's trip down the river in the interest of the River City Lumber company.

New Registers Installed

New electric cash registers were installed Monday in Miss Flora Dellert's millinery shop on Second street and in the Smoke House on Chillicothe street.

Eddie Denies It

Eddie Donalds, who was here Sunday, says that there is no truth in the report that he was dickering with a club owner in the Federal league, and he is at a loss to know how the report originated. He ... this winter by the Columbus Lithographing company.

At Anderson's Store

David Sprouse, a former Selby shoe worker, has taken a position on the third floor at Anderson's store.

Mr. Scott In Utica

J. C. Scott has gone to Utica, N. Y., to look over the position he has accepted there in one of the large knitting factories.

Newman Brothers, local contractors, have just finished the construction of a large veranda around the home of J. J. Pierce, a prominent ... citizen.

Changes Jobs

Harry Starks has resigned his position as porter at the Atlas Trading company to accept a similar position at the Play House. S. Starks will act as day porter while "Seven" Weltner will be on duty at night.

Pleaded Guilty

Pleading guilty to a charge of assault and battery in Squire Byron's court Saturday evening William Staten was fined $1 and costs. The complainants were C. H. Bo... and A. C. King, who reside in New Boston.

To Fight Tuesday

[illegible]

Has Fine Record

[illegible]

CONWELL IS BUGY CHAP

[illegible]

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Soft For Otto

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SPECIAL PRICES FOR THIS WEEK

1 pound good Coffee .... 2..
Good Bacon .... 15c and ..
White Meat .... 12..
Pickled Pork .... 12..
2 quarts Flake Hominy ....
1 quart Pearl Hominy ....
1 quart new Navy Beans ....
1 bushel fancy Potatoes ....
Best Flour ...... 55, 60, 65 and ..
Best Raisins ...... 20c and 22..
Fresh Butter and Eggs, Oysters, Cranberries, Celery, Apples, Pickles, Olives, etc.
Give us your order early and save the difference.

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MISS FLORENCE THOMAS
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We bought before the increase in duty. We buy direct from cutters in quantities. We are still selling at old prices, notwithstanding recent advances in prices.
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The government standard of weighing diamonds has also been changed. The minimum used to be the 64th part of a karat—it is now the 100th part of a karat. The original karat has also been slightly reduced—approximately 3 per cent.

This is all in effect on new packages we are now purchasing and will soon necessitate about a 25 per cent advance in selling prices.

Regardless of all this we are still selling diamonds at our former low prices.

These are valid reasons why you should buy your Christmas Diamonds NOW. See Diamond display in our window.

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FOR SALE!

New modern seven room two story brick, Hutchins Ave., basement, furnace, bath, electricity, hardwood, two story garage, lot 40x135. An ideal home in an ideal location. Price $5500

Six room two story with bath, Offnere street, on Hill, lot 35x177. Also has three room cottage on rear of lot. A nice home and excellent investment. Price $4000

Nice four room cottage, High street, in first class condition. Price $2600

Nice five room cottage, Eighteenth street, water, gas, cellar, barn, nice lot. Price $2350

Dogwood Ridge farm near Wheelersburg, containing 135 acres good land, eight room dwelling, 80 ft. barn, plenty of water and fruit, on good road. If you are interested in a good farm in one of the best communities in the county this is what you want. Price.....$8000

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MASONIC NOTICE

Annual meeting of Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 23 Monday evening, December 8 at 7 o'clock. Election of officers and payment of dues.

The annual meeting of the society of Past Masters of Scioto county, Tuesday evening, Dec. 9. Banquet at 7 o'clock. Every actual past master in the city cordially invited to be present.

BEN HUR NOTICE

Regular meetings every Friday evening at 7:30. Visiting members welcome. Fifth and Chillicothe. adv

NOTICE:—When you want prompt package delivery call Dick Bostwick, 12 Waller. Phone Y 404. 9tf

WANTED:—Experienced girl at once for general house work. Apply 1808 5th St. 6-3

WANTED

WANTED—Stenographer, young man. Apply in own hand writing, stating qualifications, salary, etc. Address Drawer 403 City. 8tf

WANTED:—Boys. 50 good live boys to work after school and on Saturday. Good clean instructive work that parents will approve and that will assist you to a business education. None but hustlers need apply. Call Buckeye Grocery, Gallia and Sinton and ask for Mr. Rankin. 8-3

WANTED—Girl for house work, no washing or ironing. 86 Gallia Ave., New Boston. Phone A 166. 8-3

WANTED—Plain sewing, reasonable prices. Apply 1226 9th. 8-3

WANTED—A salesman for paints and specialties. Profitable employment for one who can sell. Address the Tropical Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 8-3

WANTED—Reliable experienced man for established line household remedies to drug and general stores. Sou. O. W. Va., E. Ky. Good contract to sober capable hustler, state what you have sold. References, Ne. C. L. Co., 149 W. Chicago Ave., Chicago. 6-3

WANTED:—Girl for general house work; also girl clerk. Help Employment Bureau, 615 2nd. 5-tf

WANTED:—An experienced girl for house work. Reference required. Good wages. Apply at 1223 Gallia. 5-3

WANTED: — School teacher, Brushy Fork school, Lower Nile township. Address Chas. Stockham, McGaw, O., 28-15t

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Bevare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

WANTED:—Second hand roll top desk in good condition. Phone B 152. 6-3

WANTED:—Roomers and boarders at 1636 Robinson avenue. 6-3

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Horses, colts and cows. W. T. Harr, Ohio and Rhoades Aves., New Boston, Home Phone 6 on 539. 30-tf

FOR SALE:—New Active heater stove, 1215 17th St. 8tf

FOR SALE:—2 fresh cows, 1744 5th St. Phone A 545. 8-1

FOR SALE:—Office fixtures, including flat top desk, table and chairs. Room 215 Masonic Temple. 8-2

FOR SALE:—Pair of English fox hounds, two years old, well trained, 1305 Center St. 8-4

FOR SALE:—4 room cottage, 1643 8th St. Apply 717 7th St. after 5 p. m. 8-3

FOR SALE:—4 room cottage 6th near Lincoln. Nice large rooms, storm sheeted, slate roof 34 ft. front, $2400. P. W. Kilroyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone A 1408. 8-3

FOR SALE:—Fresh Jersey cow, 6 years old. Phone or see Mrs. Sarah Foster, Carey's Run. Phone 2210. 5-3

FOR SALE:—Grocery stock in good location, doing good solid business, cheap rent, owner leaving city. Address W. O., care Mail Carrier No. 10 for information. 5tf

FOR SALE:—Or rent three room house, South Portsmouth, Ky. Below flood line. Good garden and place for raising chickens and pigs. A. W. Thompson, 335 W. Front. Phone 256. 5-3

FOR SALE:—Or trade for Nanvoo or city property, farm of 83 acres, well improved. Good dwelling, barn, outbuildings and large orchard, on Turkey Creek. See J. B. Belcher, Friendship P. O. 5-6

FOR SALE:—Child's white iron crib, $2.50. Single white iron bed and springs, $2.50. 1719 Robinson (rear). 3tf

FOR SALE:—Two modern homes on Hill. Small cash payment. See Merle O. Duduit, 300 Masonic Temple. 3-17

FOR SALE—Saint Andree Roller young canary birds. Good singers, 2117 8th. 5-5

FOR SALE:—New 5 room house with bath. Centrally located. $350 cash, balance on easy payments. Phone 1499. H. A. Bierley. 1tf

FOR SALE:—New 7 room house on hill, complete bath, front and rear porch, pantry, cellar, cistern. An up to date home. Bargain. $3,000.

5 room cottage 17th, complete bath, gas, front and rear porches. Property in all parts of the city. Miss A. M. Kidd, 1306 Center. Phone 1379. 1tf

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FOR SALE:—Copies of law prescribing penalty for defrauding boarding houses. Ten copies must be posted in every house for proprietor's protection. Inquire at Times Office. Price per set of 10 25c. 12tf

FOR SALE:—Lot on Glover, 32 ft. front, $256.

6 room two story, wide corner lot on Hill. Bargain. Owner leaving city, $2500. P. W. Kilroyne, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone A 1408. 6-2

FOR SALE—All household goods 724 3rd. 6-3

FOR SALE:—A modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath on hill. Two squares from car line. Big bargain if sold soon. Also 30½ acres of ground on Mabert Road just outside corporation line. Good for building lots or garden. 1906 Grandview Ave., Phone Y 1342. 6-4

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FOR SALE:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR SALE:—Old papers. 5 cents per bundle. Apply at Times office. Nov 28-tf

FOR SALE:—One of the handsomest electric automobiles in the city, four passenger, original cost $2700. Will sell for less than half. For particulars and to see the machine call at Stanley Prichard's garage. 19tf

FOR SALE:—"For Rent" signs, at The Times Office.

FOR SALE:—Second hand machinery bought and sold. Inquire of D. Labold & Company, 12th and Chillicothe Sts. 17tf

FOR SALE:—Game chickens. 717 9th St. Phone Y 736. 25tf

FOR SALE:—House and seven lots in Rapp's addition to West Portsmouth. Good well and outbuildings. Geo. H. Schuckart, Berthe, O. 4-6

FOR SALE—Two horses, harness and wagon. 23 West Rhodes Ave., New Boston. 6-2

FOR SALE:—Fresh Jersey cow and calf. Cheap if sold at once. 2124 8th St., east of Broadway. 6-2

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-tf

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FOR RENT:—Furnished front room 537 2nd St. 6-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished front light house keeping rooms, all conveniences, 1024 Gallia St. 28tf

FOR RENT:—1 furnished room. 402 Sinton. 3tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, private entrance. 836 11th St. 25tf

FOR RENT—Four room house on Logan St. 1602 Franklin Ave. 6-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, gas, bath, phone. At 1217 Franklin. Phone A 1286. 4tf

FOR RENT:—New 6 room house on corner of Campbell and Jackson Sts. Call at 26 Union or Phone A 896. 4tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping, 2012 Walnut, East Portsmouth. 8-2

FOR RENT:—Small store room 6th and Gay. Dr. Ruggles. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room, 912 7th. 8-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms 331 Front. 8-6

FOR RENT:—Flats, furnished and unfurnished, 1015 3rd. St. 8-5

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, northeast corner 11th and Lincoln. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room all conveniences, 831 8th. near Chillicothe. 8tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms Call phone 870. 8-3

FOR RENT:—2 rooms, nicely furnished for house keeping. Bath, phone, hot water. $12.50 per month. Snap. Address P. O. box 226. 8 tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room. Steam heat, private entrance. Bath. 303 Court. 8-3

FOR RENT:—2 rooms for light house keeping 1736 8th St. 8-3

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room for light house keeping at 1526 Robinson avenue. 8-2

FOR RENT:—5 room house at 1536 3rd St. Phone Y 1214. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Modern room for 1 or 2 gentlemen. Board if desired. Inquire 703 Findlay. 8-3

FOR RENT:—Unfurnished room 1105 10th. 8-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, modern conveniences. 1014 Findlay. 5-3

FOR RENT:—1 furnished room with bath, with or without board. Call 1634 12th St. 5-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms. 6 room house Mabert Road. Help Employment Bureau, 615 2nd. 5tf

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms for light house keeping, 707 6th St. 5-3

FOR RENT:—An 8 room house furnished or unfurnished. A modern house down town. Also a 6 room house with bath and electric lights on the Hill. Phone 1499. 5-3

FOR RENT:—Well furnished front room with board. Modern conveniences. Desirable location, 530 4th St. near Court St. 5-tf

FOR RENT:—Nice furnished upstairs bedroom with bath and phone in private family. One half square from Chillicothe St. on 4th. Call 835 4th or Phone A 647. 5tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for rent. 802 Chillicothe St. 5-3

FOR RENT:—Farm, Mabert Road. Call 601 Market St. 5-3

FOR RENT:—Suite of rooms, nicely furnished, hot and cold water in rooms, one or two gentlemen, 717 8th St. 26tf

FOR RENT—Good large furnished room, two squares from post office. Call at 841 7th or Home phone A 616. 25tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, at 518 3rd. 6-3

FOR RENT—6 room house, modern, Campbell avenue.

6 room house, modern, 939 3rd St.

4 room house, bath, 11th St. H. S. Cadot, agent, 225 Masonic Temple. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping, 1812 Gallia. Phone X 224. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping, 522 3rd St. 6-3

FOR RENT:—Store room, New Boston, O. Inquire at 28 Gallia Ave. 3-6

FOR RENT:—Rooms furnished for roomers and light house keeping. Apply at barber shop 1608 Gallia. 4tf

FOR RENT—Flat. Phone A 1397 4-5

FOR RENT:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—2 nicely furnished rooms, hot and cold water in room, bath, telephone, etc. 1024 2nd St. Gentlemen only. 23tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room, private outside entrance. 1112 Gay. 3tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished downstairs front rooms for light house keeping, 1010 Gallia. 2tf

FOR RENT:—One room furnished for light house keeping, use of bath, no children. 917 9th St. 2tf

FOR RENT—The Herchow home No. 1307 4th., either furnished or unfurnished. Call at the home. 4tf

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LOST

LOST:—On Chillicothe street, small picture of "The Madonna" in brown tone. 903 8th. corner Gay. 6-2

LOST:—Package from Lehman's containing shoes, underwear and hose. Reward for return to Lehman's store. 6-2

LOST—White headed blue pocket book. On or near lower ferry. Contained small purse, Bragdon tickets, etc. Reward 1224 McConnell avenue. Phone B 1208. 6-2

LOST:—Friday morning, child's mink fur on Offnere between Gallia and Kinney's Lane. Return 1826 Oakland. Reward. 5tf

LOST:—A small black and tan terrier, lame in fore leg, Saturday afternoon. Answers to name of Dandy. Reward if returned to W. H. Wagner, 522 2nd St. and receive reward. 8-2

LOST:—A teachers' bible at Second Presbyterian church, Sunday morning, Dec. 7. Finder please return to or notify Mrs. H. F. Ruggles, 1412 18th St. 8-2

LOST:—On 5th St. between St. Mary's church and post office, black ribbon watch fob with carved charm. Return to Frank Meyer, 432 Front St and receive reward. 8-3

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THE spirit in which this company does business—the low legal rate of interest—the personal attention given each customer—its untiring efforts to give good service, are the forces that have made its victory complete. This company does things—every event in its history has real business significance. Thus by constantly improving and extending its facilities it has not only foremost rank in the city but, unrealized, it has become favorably known the nation over, with the result that its policy is being copied wherever good loan companies exist.

There is only one answer for this success—the public has found that the policy of this company is genuine. Its sincerity of purpose therefore is never questioned. You can afford to do business with this company, for in addition to its many safeguards that absolutely protect you, its rates are much less than you would have to pay the other.

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Should you now owe a balance, we will be glad to take this up and furnish you what money you need besides. Do not hesitate to come and see us if we can be of service to you. We remain,

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Educational Methods Undergo Revolution

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 8—The tremendous problems for teachers, pupils and patrons involved in the introduction of vocational education, which is sweeping over the United States, was touched upon by Professor W. F. Book, director of vocational education in Indiana, in his preliminary report just presented to the state board of education. The last state legislature provided for the introduction of vocational education in Indiana's public schools.

That it amounts to a revolution in educational methods; that present teachers and school authorities haven't the slightest conception of how to institute and organize the new education, and that a survey of the state must be made to find out what work can profitably be taught to pupils were some of the points Professor Book made. In order not to throw aside the years of work that went to build up the present educational system Prof. Book recommended that a commission be appointed to correlate the vocational courses with the present system of teaching English, Arithmetic, Geography, etc. The feature that is likely to redeem the situation from failure, or, at best, carry it to a costly success, according to Prof. Book, is that "everybody is interested and willing to make an earnest effort to begin and prosecute the work."

KINNEY IS READY

Columbus, O., Dec. 8—"If Worst comes to worst, I'll bear it like a man, I still have hope." These were the words of Frank Kinney sentenced to die Dec. 12. Kinney was today removed from White City, and quartered in the new death cell situated under the electric chair.

NAMES COLLECTORS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 8—President Wilson will this afternoon nominate Frank B. Niles of Toledo and Harry H. Wilson of Canton to be collectors of internal revenue for the 10th and 18th districts respectively.

NEW FRENCH CABINET

Paris, France, Dec. 8—The cabinet under the premiership of Senator Gaston Doumergue who is not a Socialist, as had been announced, but a radical Socialist, is to be organized today, it was announced during a conference of the statesmen whom Doumergue has asked to accept portfolios. The Radical-Socialist party to which the new premier belongs is the strongest group in the chamber of deputies. Its principles are Democratic but are widely divergent from those of the Unified Socialists.

FRISCO RECEIVER

St. Louis, Dec., 8—Judge Sanborn, in U. S. district court today announced the resignation of Thomas H. West, as one of the receivers of the Frisco railroad, and that he had appointed James W. Lusk, of St. Paul, to succeed him. The change takes place at once.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 8—Real warfare started in the copper strike zone today. From Mohawk to Baltic at either end of the strike district skirmishing parties of strikers battled with the deputies, strike breakers and citizens. There was almost incessant firing in many sections, but up to noon no fatalities were reported.

KEITH THEATRE WAS ROBBED

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—Chief of Police Carter today threw out a dragnet for four men who at midnight overpowered, bound and gagged Herman Glassnapp, night watchman at Keith's theatre and escaped with $250 cash. The thieves overlooked a sack containing $1,400.

Farmer Is A Forger

Columbus, O., Dec. 8—William Cramblert, 62, pleaded guilty in federal district court here today to raising bills of $1.00 denominations to $5.00 and was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs and serve a term of 13 months in the West Virginia state prison. Formerly he was a farmer in Fayette, Ross and Madison counties but he found the note raising so easy he is said to have raised quite a number of bills and passed them on farmers of those counties

M'GUIRE PLEADS NOT GUILTY

New York, Dec. 8—James K. McGuire, ex-mayor of Syracuse, pleaded not guilty today to an indictment charging the soliciting of a $5000 contribution from the Union Oil Co., a California corporation for the use of the Democratic state campaign. He was given until Dec. 22 to change or withdraw his plea. He furnished $1500 bail.

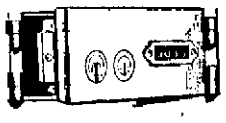
FIRE AT PIQUA.

Piqua, O., Dec. 8.—Fire today destroyed the Grace Methodist church. Crossed electric wires caused the blaze. The crew of a passing railroad engine discovered the blaze and sounded the alarm. The loss is $15,000.

A fire-proof Safe in your home is not necessarily burglar-proof—and a safe that is both fire and burglar-proof is a very expensive and cumbersome thing

It is also an *invitation* to thieves that you have valuables in your house that are worth trying for.

Put that which you can't replace in one of our Safe Deposit Boxes. Our steel vaults will protect you from fire and Yale Locks not only keep out burglars but give you absolute privacy.



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United States Richest In Recent History

Washington, Dec. 8—There is plenty of money in the United States. People are apparently saving more than they used to. And the banks as a rule are richer.

These were the salient points in the annual report of the Comptroller of the Currency, submitted to Congress today. The document is replete with statistics of dazzling millions. It shows that on June 30 last if all the money in circulation, exclusive of the Treasury reserves, were divided among the population, every citizen would have $34.56. That per capita wealth is greater than it has been for a number of years.

If the wealth in the Treasury were divided among the people, every man would get $9.58. That is the highest per capita amount since 1908.

In number, capital and deposits the banks of the country have grown considerably since a year ago. On June 30, 1912, there were 28,095 banks, with $2,080,843,503 capital and $17,491,067,606 deposits. A year later the totals were, banks 29,254, capital $2,167,849,861, deposits $17,935,764,134. Moreover, the banks have made more money. Based on capital and surplus, the greater by over two per cent than during the prior year.

DREW PLANT CRIPPLED

Several departments of the Irving Drew shoe factory were idle Monday because of the lack of power. A series of boilers are being installed and until they are ready for operation, which will be Wednesday or Thursday part of the plant will be idle. One of the temporary engines supplying the power broke down Friday.

FOUR DIE IN EXPLOSION

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 8—Four men were killed in an explosion in the Gelatin mixing plant of the Repauno Chemical Co. at Gibbstown, N. J. One of the dead was the foreman of the mixing house, the other three were foreigners.

ABERNATHY NAMED.

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—The state tax commission today appointed A. V. Abernathy, of Columbus, formerly of Mansfield and Cleveland, secretary at an annual salary of $3,000. He succeeds B. E. Williamson, who resigned to become federal internal revenue collector.

WHY HE RAN AWAY.

Cincinnati, Dec. 8.—Reginald Thrall, 14, of Buffalo, N. Y., picked up by the police, told juvenile court officers today that he ran away because he did not want to study Latin and Algebra in the High school at Buffalo.

EIGHT FIREMEN HURT.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 8.—Fireman Fred Miller's skull was fractured and Assistant Fire Chief Reefs and six other firemen were hurt today when the roof of a large barn which was aflame fell.

Home Burglarized.

A thief last night entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Diltz of Ninth street and departed with a few small trinkets. A rear window was forced by the intruder.

ENGINES STOLEN

On a charge of stealing two engines valued at $50 and dismantling them and then disposing of them to other parties Leonard Nichols was arrested by the police Monday afternoon. The engines were the property of I. Reitz, a well known stone mill man.

Small Blaze.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hall, who reside on Fourteenth street, was the scene of a small fire Monday caused by a defective flue. Hall succeeded in putting out the flames without turnin gin an alarm.

Insure with Marvin Clark, First National Bank Bldg. adv

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A STARTLING TWO REEL FEATURE

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SOCIETY

Ten little schoolmates and two out of town guests gathered at the home of Mrs. H. Schusky at 1114 Ninth street Saturday afternoon as the members of a surprise party given in the honor of Ometta Schusky who was twelve years old Sunday. The different rooms were decorated in the Christmas colors of red and green. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and candies were served. The following children were present: Mildred Schloss, Mildred Warner, Helen Jones, Esther Valiard, Dorothy Goetz, Meriam Nickle, Edith Shaddrick, Pearl Fritz of Barden, and Louise Miller of Waverly, Willia Cramer, George Staten, Kenneth Schloss and Fred McNeal.

William C. Ferguson and son, William, have returned from Amanda, where Mr. Ferguson has been spending a few days with his father, who is ill at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Mougey, where Mr. Ferguson is spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Appel, of Timmonds avenue, had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Appel, of Lucasville, Mrs. Theodore Appel, Miss Lou Appel and Miss Floy Staten.

The German Methodist Epworth League will meet this evening at the home of Miss Edna Marting, in Sunnyside.

The W. E. D. club will be entertained Thursday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Appel, on Gallia avenue.

The Young Ladies' Sewing club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Miss Alice Dever, on Gallia street.

The Home Guards and Mothers' Jewels of Bigelow Methodist church held the regular monthly meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bruce Hoodler, on West Sixth street. A musical program was rendered as follows:

Piano—Miss Margaret Neudoerfer.
Piano Duet—Misses Marie Decker and Ruth Fitch.
Reading, Christmas Story—Mrs. Roy Wykoff.
Piano—Miss Miriam Neudoerfer.

The guests included Richard and Billie Young, Jack Bridges, Margaret and Frederick Lauffer. A business session followed the program, after which ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Howard Williamson will leave the last of next week for Cleveland to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Boyce Elliott and brother, Mr. Clyde Drouillard.

The Central Presbyterian Woman's Missionary society will hold the regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Callie Kress, on Park avenue.

The girls of Bigelow Methodist Epworth League will serve the banquet this evening to the foremen of the Selby factory, in the Selby hall on Gallia street, this being their regular monthly meeting.

The Frances Badger Guild of All Saints church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. E. Ainger Powell.

Miss Elsie Wagner will be hostess at Thursday evening's meeting of the C. A. L. club.

The Woman's Home Missionary Reading Circle of the Bigelow Methodist church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Russell, on Third street.

John Berwind, foreman at the Waite Furniture factory, left today for a two weeks' stay at West Baden. This is the first vacation Mr. Berwind has had in thirty years.

Mrs. J. W. Harris and children of Vanceburg, visited Portsmouth friends Saturday.

Attorney N. B. Gilliland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slattery of Wheelersburg.

William R. Raike, the well known Pullman conductor, of Greenup, was married last week to Miss Elizabeth Trumbo, of Bedford, Va. They are now visiting his mother Mrs. Mattie Raike at Greenup.

Mr. George McClain, who is employed at the Portsmouth steel plant, and Miss Maude Wheeler, of Offnere street, were quietly married this morning at the home of Rev. J. W. Dunning. Mr. and Mrs. McClain will make their home with the groom's mother, Mrs. Josephine McClain, 1601 Grandview avenue.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. F. Reed, 801 Grime avenue. On Thursday evening the Central W. C. T. U. will hold a social meeting at the home of Mrs. J. J. Davidson, on Fourth street.

The Dalton Auction Bridge club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. S. Kyle on Second street.

H. A. Marting will arrive home the twenty-first from Yale to spend his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Marting.

Little Ruth York, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. York, has recovered from a few days' illness.

Mrs. George Casper and baby, of Muncie, Ind., have come to spend the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Broadwater, of Ninth street.

Judge A. Z. Blair's Bible class of the Second Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Vernon Berreit at 1319 Sixth street. The features of the meeting will be a passing party.

Mrs. Charles E. Hard will entertain her Sunday school class Friday evening at her beautiful new home on Franklin avenue.

Mrs. John Littlejohn and son arrived today from Grayson, Ky., to spend the winter with Mr. Littlejohn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lake, on Fourth street.

Mrs. Oletia Lloyd and son, Morris, of Ninth street, were the guests of Judge and Mrs. P. L. Sikes, in Sciotoville Sunday.

W. A. Bowman will arrive the twentieth from Pittsburg, Pa., to join Mrs. Bowman in a holiday visit at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Cramer, on Fourth street.

Miss Jennie Foster will come home the eighteenth from Howard College, Bridgewater, Mass., to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Clara Foster.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Second Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon in the church. This is a deferred meeting from last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Appel, of Lucasville, were guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Appel on Timmonds avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stevens entertained with a family dinner yesterday in honor of the seventy-third birthday anniversary of Mrs. Stevens' mother, Mrs. Lydia Jones, whose birthday will come Tuesday, but was celebrated Sunday so that all the members of the Jones and Stahler families could be present, as follows: Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler, daughter Margaret and son Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stahler, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stahler, of the West Side, Mrs. Nettie Jones and Mrs. Myrtle Jones, of Waverly. The table was beautifully adorned for the occasion and the sumptuous dinner was served in several courses. Mrs. Jones was the recipient of many handsome presents including generous gifts of money.

An interesting report of the fall festival will be given Tuesday afternoon at the Second Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society meeting, in the church.

Miss Virginia Rardin of Waverly, is coming Friday to spend a few days with Mrs. Albert Pre[illegible], on Offnere street.

The Thursday Kensington club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. O. Barrett, in the Alexandria [illegible].

Mr. J. J. Rardin's class of women of Bigelow Methodist Sunday school will participate in a passing party this evening at the home of Mr. Glen Rardin, on Eleventh street.

R. J. Wilson, of Kenova, was a week-end guest at the home of relatives in the city.

Mrs. Jessie Lane had as guest Sunday Mrs. George [illegible] of Ironton, who was on her way to Cincinnati.

[illegible] Wagner was very pleasantly reminded of her birthday anniversary last evening, when she called at the home of Miss Emma Fox, of Glover street, and found the members of the W. S. W. club and friends awaiting her.

The evening was spent in a most enjoyable way, with music, games and dainty refreshments served by the hostess. During the evening Miss Wagner was given a shower of roses.

Those present were: Misses Georgina Wagner, Charlotte Turner, Ida Jones, Elsie Heid, Elizabeth Tipton, Nellie Hahn, Loretta Kean, Mrs. Mary Wynne, Katherine Fox, Emma Fox; Messrs. Lee Turner, Frank Luther, William George, Delbert Nelson, Loren Zarabaugh, George McCall, Harry Smith, Chas. McKay and Walter Coyle.

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quartette who sang at the Elks' memorial today afternoon.

Mrs. Rosella Ford of Elwood, Ind., has come to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Broadwater, of Ninth street.

Miss Helen Evans of Cincinnati is expected as Christmas guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Conroy of Third street.

Miss Doris Lehman is coming home the 18th from Maryland college, Lutherville, Pa., and will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Sidney Rentels and little son, who will spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Lehman, on Second street.

Mrs. Oliver Prediger is recovering from illness at her home on Third street.

Graves Williams is coming home December 22 from Lafayette college, Easton, Pa.

Mrs. Ralph Calvert has gone to Columbus to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cody of Pittsburgh, Pa., will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Conroy and other relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rettinger of Second street will have as Christmas guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Hilbert and son, Paul, of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Garvin of Courtland, N. Y., will come to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. William Wamser, on Third street.

Class No. 2 of the Grandview Avenue Bible school will meet Tuesday evening in business and social session at the home of Mrs. Gulick, 1607 Twelfth street. All members are urged to be present as new officers will be elected.

Roger Lambert of Ninth street, who was operated upon five weeks ago for appendicitis and was taken worse last Thursday, is again slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Duty's phone number has been changed to 848.

Mrs. John Sowers, Misses Carrie and Myrle Sowers will go to Cincinnati Thursday for a few days' shopping.

Mrs. E. D. Stevens spent today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mountain in Ironton.

The C. T. N. circle of the First Baptist church will meet this evening at the home of Miss Wilda Graham.

District 1 of the Second Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Morris on Highland avenue. District 2 meets Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the pastor's study. District 3 meets Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Kevare. All members are urged to bring their thimbles.

Several of the young society buds of this city are making arrangements for a charity ball to be held about the 22nd of this month. Fuller details will be given as soon as the final arrangements are made.

Dr. P. J. Kline who was taken suddenly and seriously ill Saturday with a threatened attack of pneumonia, is better today.

Mrs. Ollie W. Peed and son, Paul, left Sunday afternoon for Huntington, W. Va., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stevens have gone home to Firebrick, O., after a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stevens.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Langhorn left last night for Philadelphia to visit relatives, and from there Rev. Mr. Langhorn will go to New York to give a lecture at the Bible School convention on Wednesday.

The County W. C. T. U. announcements for this week are as follows: Hilltop Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. W. Chase.

Central W. C. T. U. Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. H. E. Reed, 801 Grime avenue. A social meeting will be held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. J. Davidson, 1417 Fourth street.

East Portsmouth at the home of Mrs. M. W. Brown Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

West Portsmouth W. C. T. U. matrons' medal contest at the German Methodist church Friday evening, at half after seven.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

MRS. C. C. COVERSTON,
County President.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Cleary have gone to their home in Cincinnati. Mrs. Cleary came up several weeks ago to take care of her father, John E. Cook, of the West Side, who died recently. Mr. Cleary conducts a confectionary store at 1300 Central avenue, Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rardin have returned from a week-end visit with friends in Wellston.

Carl Hauck comes home the nineteenth from O. S. U., Columbus, for his holiday vacation.

The Buckeye Kensington club will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Pursell, on Washington street.

Mrs. W. G. Unger, of Robinson avenue, has returned from Charleston, where she visited her son, H. E. Unger, for two weeks.

Mrs. Martha Deacon, of Offnere street, has returned from a visit to relatives in Columbus.

Mrs. August Maier is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Lehman, of Columbus.

WITH THE SICK

After enjoying a light lunch Friday evening Miss Henrietta Weber, daughter of Charles Weber, 533 Sixth street, was seized with an attack of ptomaine poisoning and for several hours it was feared that she would not survive. She responded to restoratives, however, and although still feeling the effects of the attack is decidedly improved.

[Mr]s. Sylvanus Purtee is ill at her home, 1651 Seventh street, the victim of an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Latie Raike, a former Portsmouth resident, who submitted to an operation for mastoid abscess at the Deaconess hospital in Ironton, last Tuesday, is now on the road to recovery. The operation was performed by Dr. Gray, assisted by Dr. O. H. Snyder.

Mrs. Ella Saunders, of 900 Front street, received a message from her son Albert, a shoeworker, in Cincinnati, telling her of his wife's serious illness with diphtheria. His little six-year-old son, Harold, is just convalescing from a similar illness, which his mother contracted from him while nursing him.

Ed Treat, an N. & W. brakeman, who resides on Front street, is quite sick. He has suffered a nervous breakdown. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Treat.

Ray Duvendeck of 1125 Eighth street, who has been critical ill of typhoid fever for the past few days, was resting a little easier Sunday. His fever was down to normal late Sunday evening. The many friends of Ray are wishing him a speedy recovery.

Gilbert Hollar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hollar of Eighth street, is ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Minnie Gleim, a teacher in the Bond street building and Miss Mattie Lynn, a teacher in the Highland avenue building, were detained from their work by illness Monday.

Miss Ethel Andrews, of Eighth street, was operated upon at the Hempstead hospital Monday.

Wm. Bromley, a victim of appendicitis was discharged Sunday. Mrs. Mary James was also discharged Sunday.

Mrs. William Henson, who had two ribs broken Saturday when she was kicked by a cow, was reported in a serious condition Monday. Upon closer examination it was found that four ribs had been broken.

Will Crichton is in Cincinnati on a business trip for the Mitchell Manufacturing company.

BUILDING PERMITS

A sanitary sewer tap has taken out by Elsie Holstetter [illegible] her property at 1650 Fifth st[illegible].

SNOW STOPS TRAINS

Traffic on the C. & O. was paralyzed Monday owing to the heavy snows in the mountains. No. 1, west-bound, due here at 7:23 a. m. was annulled. No. 3 due here at 1:54 was reported one hour and thirty minutes late. East-bound trains as far as Portsmouth were creeping close to the schedule.

Ironton Visitor.

Dr. Lester Keller, of Ironton, was in the city Monday as a witness in a case in common pleas court.

Relief From Constipation

It's Me For Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

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Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative. [illegible]

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They come with cord and loops to match. Come and see this splendid assortment.
Price: $2.50 and $3.50 each.

BEACON PLAID BLANKETS
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Price: $2.50 and $3.50 each.

WOOL BLANKETS, WOOL COMFORTS
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FELT SLIPPERS FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN
These nice warm house slippers are just the best kind of a Xmas gift.
Price: $1.00 to $1.50 a pair.

SHAWLS FOR MOTHER AND GRANDMOTHER
Anything in this line that is good can be found at this gift store.
Price: 50c to $5.00 each.

"YE OLDE TIME COMFORT SHOES"
Make an excellent gift for the women who will enjoy real comfort.
Price: $1.50 and $3.00 pair.

Be Practical--Buy a Cloak For the Girl For Christmas! OUR ASSORTMENT WAS NEVER BETTER AND OUR PRICES ARE EXCEPTIONALLY LOW!

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All of Them Manage to "Arrest" Themselves

Frank, Ed And Fred Had 'Brotherly' Fight

It stormed Sunday afternoon and the moods and temperaments of the Dresslers, 915 Washington street, were in accord with the elements. Therefore Ed, Frank and Fred warred.

Frank pulled Ed out of bed. Ed didn't like it and told him so. Frank didn't like the way Ed told him and hit Brother Ed with a hunk of coal. Ed's face looked as if a whole coal mine had caved in on him.

Brother Fred didn't like the way the other two brothers were disgracing the old feeling of brotherly love and as a result butted in. Then there was a family feud.

First Ed called the mayor's office and wanted Frank arrested. Then Frank called police headquarters and wanted Ed arrested. Fred called a few seconds later and asked that Frank and Ed be locked up.

Ed followed his request by appearing at the mayor's office in person. The gates of the City Hotel yawned menacingly and in Ed went. A few minutes later Fred came down to have the law on Frank and Ed, both not knowing Ed had been arrested, and in behind the bars Fred went. Frank remained at large awhile and then he also arrested himself by walking in.

And while the boys fought and quarreled, a poor, old, gray-haired mother stayed at her home all by herself. She is past eighty years of age.

NEW BOSTON

There was a fire scare at the Stevenson home, on Stanton avenue, Sunday evening, when Mrs. Andrew Stevenson attempted to move a gas stove from one room into another. The escaping gas took fire from a stove she was using while doing the work. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

The remains of little Sarah L. Boggs, who died Saturday morning of inanition, were taken to Ironton, Sunday, for burial. She was three months old. The father, James Boggs, is an employe at the steel plant and resides on Stanton avenue.

Joe Flue and John Boldise, Hungarians, were arrested Saturday night by Deputy Marshal Grant Dixon for being drunk and disorderly. They pleaded not guilty when arraigned before the mayor Monday morning and their trial was set for one o'clock Tuesday.

Mildred Evans was taken suddenly ill at the home of Ben Brown on Ohio avenue Sunday evening. It is feared that she has developed typhoid fever.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will serve a Dutch lunch of sauer kraut and weiners after their regular meeting Monday evening.

The police court that was held Monday morning was the first for four weeks.

Theodore Cornwell was arrested Saturday night on a warrant sworn out by John A. Lander, who claimed Cornwell was carrying concealed weapons. He was given a preliminary hearing Monday morning when he pleaded not guilty to the charge. His trial will be held Tuesday, at one o'clock. Cornwell was locked up in default of $300 bond.

James Wilson, a plain drunk hauled in Saturday night, pleaded guilty in Mayor Lewis' court Monday morning and was fined the usual five dollars and costs. He was ordered locked up because he couldn't pay.

William Anderson was fined $5.00 and costs when he pleaded guilty before Mayor Lewis Monday morning. He was arrested for drunkenness.

Edward (Cap.) Gray was brought into police court while the other prisoners were having their hearing and charged with furnishing intoxicating liquor to the prisoners confined in the village jail, Sunday. He was ordered locked up in default of $200 bond.

George Chumer, who was locked up Saturday night, had his trial Monday morning at ten o'clock. He was charged with striking Andy Deso at the Hungarian camp Saturday afternoon. The case was dismissed at the time and another trial set for one o'clock. Both the men are Hungarians employed at the steel mill.

Miss Mabel Powell who has been visiting in Ashland, has decided to remain until after the holidays.

William Anderson and Otto Name, better known as "Dutch," tried to settle an argument Saturday afternoon by going back of the ball park while the football game was in progress and fighting it out with their fists. "Dutch" would not allow kicking in the fight and Anderson backed out, leaving his opponent the victor. Park Policeman Joe Allen ordered the fellows out of the park grounds and they quickly vamoosed.

Grant Dixon, deputy marshal, received a badly skinned nose Saturday evening when he attempted to arrest two Hungarians.

George McManes, of Ohio avenue, is confined to his home with a slight illness.

Pat Koontz, bartender at Emsmer's saloon, came out the victor in a little fist fight with William Anderson Saturday night on Gallia pike, near Vine street.

Mrs. John Johnson, of Gallia pike, spent Sunday in Ashland with her daughter, Mayme. Her daughter will be moved from the Ashland hospital to her home on the Gallia pike in about two weeks. She is improving nicely from the operation which she underwent.

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Two hundred and forty pair Cotton Blankets Special, per pair	$1.25
One hundred and sixty pair Cotton Blankets Special, per pair	$1.50
One hundred and twenty pair Cotton Blankets, 4½ pound, per pair	$2.25
Fancy Cotton Plaids assorted colors, pair	$2.50 and $3.25
Part Wool Blankets per pair	$3.25 to $5.00
All Wool Blankets, White and colors per pair	$5.00
Special Comfort values, all white cotton filled, per pair	$1 to $4.50

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NEW BOSTON SALOONS

Saloon licenses were issued Monday morning by the Scioto Liquor Licensing Board to Hans and Company and Benjamin Emmerman both of New Boston. The applications were filed with the Board ten days ago and the Board's investigation during the interim resulted in a favorable decision in both instances.

Hans and Company and Mr. Emmerman were in business until the beginning of the new license year, when they were forced out of business because of the operation of that section of the law that limits the number of saloons to one for every 500 inhabitants. Since that time a census of the village was made, which made it possible for two more saloons to be conducted there.

JURY GOES TO STEEL PLANT

The case of Mollie F. Taylor against the Portsmouth Steel company, was called for trial in common pleas court today to jury. William K. Taylor, son of the plaintiff, was employed by the defendant and it is claimed that he was at the time of his employment but 15 years old, and while in the employ of the defendant was injured, and this suit was brought to recover $2,000 for the personal injury.

Attorneys Frank W. Moulton and Ed J. Duehler for the plaintiff, and Holcomb and Millar and Bannon and Bannon for defendants.

After the statements of the case were made the defendants asked that the jury be taken to the steel plant to view the premises. The request was granted and the jury was taken to the plant.

Assault Is Charged

Thurman Galbraith of Barden, was arrested and taken before Squire Kates Saturday, on the charge of assaulting J. F. Windle, the ex-marshal of Barden.

Galbraith waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury. He gave bond for his appearance.

Mr. Galbraith was talking to the railroad men, when Windle and a man named Maddox attacked them, and Galbraith gave Windle the worst of it, and therefore gets into court.

Wants Wife At Home

His wife's alleged natural antipathy for staying at home is causing Irving Lewis to lose much sleep and have his natural peace of mind disturbed. He has asked the assistance of the police in having his better half remain at home to take care of the children.

Display Is Damaged

What man accomplishes, the elements can destroy was demonstrated Sunday when the wintry blasts driving rain, sleet and snow before them slightly damaged an excellent candy display in the Smoke House show windows Roy Ferguson had consumed valuable time and received many a compliment for the display only to have the elements tear it down. His display of pipes has also been attracting much attention.

DOOR OPEN

A front door found open at the M. Jacob & Sons junk plant, 735 Third street, shortly after two o'clock Sunday morning led Officer Andy Leslie to believe the shop had been robbed. Mr. Max Jacob after making an investigation Monday stated that nothing was missing and the lock had evidently failed to catch on the door when closed Saturday night.

Loiterers Run Out

Found standing on the corner of Gallia and Gay streets at the unusual hour of three o'clock Sunday morning, James Smith, Clarence Hart and Dewey Grimm, all youths, claiming Huntington as their home, were arrested on suspicion by Officers Thomas Albrecht and Andy Leslie. Since the recent robberies no one is allowed in the business district unless they can give their pedigree clear back to Babylon.

The youths were held over Sunday and ordered out of the city Monday.

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JURY NAMES DRAWN

The jury wheel was given a whirl Monday morning and the following names were drawn and ordered to report at once for jury duty:

Frank Bazler, 1st ward.
J. F. Amberg, 3rd ward.
C. C. Waller, Rush township.
Henry Fulsom, Green township.
Robert Caruthers, 4th ward.
John Knost, 3rd ward.

Meet Tuesday

A special meeting of the board of education of Clay township has been called for Tuesday afternoon when matters of importance will be considered.

Why Are You So Tired?

The Weather Is Not To Blame for That "Dragged Out" Feeling.

"This weather simply takes the life right out of me. I can hardly drag one foot after the other," said a run-down, tired-out woman, the other day.

We want to say to every such person in this vicinity. Don't blame the weather, it's your condition. You need a strengthening tonic and the very best we know is Vinol which is a combination of the two most world-famed tonics, namely, the medicinal, curative elements of cod liver oil and tonic iron, for the blood.

A case has just come to our attention from Milford, Mich. "Mrs. Lydia Barber says: "I was run-down and hardly able to drag about; my appetite was poor and I was not able to work. My druggist asked me to try Vinol. The first bottle helped me, and after taking the second bottle I was able to work and felt well and strong. Vinol is the best medicine I have ever taken."

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. Amann's Pharmacies, Portsmouth, Ohio.

P. S. Our Saxo Salve stops itching and begins healing at once.

Shop Early!--It enables you to select with greater care. Beautiful Creations of Master Minds are Now on Sale. The Si. Straus Salvage Two-Twenty Chilli.

READY WITH HOLIDAY GOODS

These Are The Words The People Of This Growing Metropolis Have Been Waiting To Hear From Us.

After months of planning and selecting [illegible] Things that were [illegible] our outside displays are not quite ready but everything on the inside of the store is in first class shape to take care of your every [illegible].

Just One Look Here Will Relieve You Of All Care Of What To Give Him Or Her Christmas.

Men's Suit Department

ALL CLOTHING GUARANTEED AND KEPT IN REPAIR FREE ONE YEAR

A lot of Men's Suits worth $8, small sizes only, sale price $3.87

Men's and Young Men's Suits in Cassimeres and Worsteds, worth $10, sale price $4.85

Men's Suits in good assortment, new shades, all cloths worth $12, at only $6.85

Men's All Wool Suits in Cassimeres and Worsteds, Greys, Blues and Tans, made in the height of fashion, $15 value $7.85

Men's Wool Suits with two pair pants. Men's Norfolks also regular cut Sacs, Suits in the noblest of patterns, made in very best way, out of stylish cloths any desired color. These $20 Suits $9.85

Men's [illegible] in the new home and foreign suitings [illegible] designers say is proper in this 1913 and 1914 season. These pure Wool $22.50 suits at $12.75

MEN'S PANTS

Men's Pants in big assortment, $1.50 value 98c

Men's fine Corduroy Pants made with side buckles, belt loops, cuff bottoms, open welt seams, $3 value only $1.95

Men's fine Pants, Dauntless Union Made in all the new shades and makes. These pure Wool $5 Pants at $2.95

Knee Pants, ages 6 to 17, made with belt loops 75c value 48c

Boys' Suit Department

Boys' [illegible] in fancy Cassimeres, ages [illegible] worth $2 only 98c

Boys' [illegible] ages 3 to 8. Buster Brown style in plain Bar cloths, worth $2.50 now $1.45

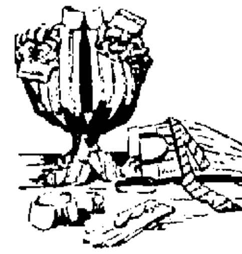
Boys' Suits made very strong and durable from All Wool material, in shades of Brown, Gray and Blue, ages 5 to 17, value $3 now $1.95

Boys' Wooley Jones Suits, wonderful values are shown in these with all the new style creations for the well dressed boy. The coats with [illegible] pleats from yoke to waist line [illegible] $5.49

These garments are made for the older boy who wants all the latest and latest style creations, such as the new English Double Breasted Norfolk model, split sleeves, patch pockets, extra full trousers, all the best boys' clothing made in America, every suit fully guaranteed, all the new Norfolk models, triple sewed, belt loops and adjustable side straps, worth $8 now $4.85

Inside buckles and lined throughout. The colorings of Brown, Tan, Pencil Stripes, Club Checks and the ever popular Blue Serge worth $10 and $12, especially priced Boys' Suits at ....$6.95 and $9.85

SHIRT DEPARTMENT



Men's Hallmark and Griffon $1.50 Dress Shirts 85c

Boys' fancy Dress Shirts pretty patterns, 75c value 48c

Grey Flannelette Men's Shirts, worth 75c, selling at 48c

Men's Grey and Blue Wool Shirts, worth $1.50 only 98c

Shirts in Grey and Blue $3.00 value $1.98

Men's finest Wool Flannel Boys' 50c Shirts and Waists only 33c

Men's plain White and Pleated Dress Shirts, 75c value 48c

Men's Dress Shirts, guaranteed fast colors, Union Made, 75c values 48c

MEN'S BELTS

Men's Leather Belts in Tan and Black, 50c values 33c

Men's 50c Leather Belts in holiday boxes 39c

Men's Belts put up in pretty holly boxes, the very best of Tan and Black leathers 75c ones at 48c

Men's and Boys Work Garments

Men's Work Shirts, double sewed, 50 inches long all colors, including Blue Chambray, 50c values 39c

Boys' Shirt Waists and Shirts, all colors, 50c values 33c

Men's 75c Union Label Overalls cut full and made out of good quality Blue Denim 48c

Men's $1.25 Sweet Orr, Ace of Spades and other brands of good Overalls 98c

Men's $1 Barber's and Waiters' Coats and Vests 48c

Boys' $1 Duck Coats 79c

Men's $1.50 Duck Coats 98c

Men's Corduroy Coats worth $5.00, selling at $2.95

Men's heavy $1.50 Work Pants ..98c

Auto Hoods and Hockey Caps

Misses' and Children's Wool Auto Hoods, 50c and 75c ones 39c

Ladies' Auto Hoods in all colors just lovely for outdoors, worth more than 50c. Sale price 48c

Ladies' Wool Polo Caps, hand made, $1 value 48c

Boys', Girls' and Child's Hockey Caps, 50c value 36c

RAIN-COATS AND SLIP ONS

Boys' or Girls' $4 Tan Slip Ons, all seams cemented $1.98

Boys' and Girls' Linen Double Texture Rain Coats, ages 5 to 10, worth $6, only $3.69

Boys' English Double Texture guaranteed Rain Coats, all seams cemented and sewed, ages 10 to 16, $5 value only $2.95

Men's and Women's Double Texture Rain Coats, all seams cemented and taped, $5 value $3.98

Men's Double Texture Tan and olive Rain Coats, 50 inches long, all seams cemented, taped and sewed. Fully guaranteed, $10 value $5.85

Men's Overcoat Department

A lot of high class tailored garments made in the very newest models, with convertible collar and belted back, in shades of Brown, Blue and Gray 46 and 50 inches long Men's Overcoats worth $8 now $4.85

In these we are showing Tans, Browns, Diagonals, Oxfords and Grays with convertible and Persian Lamb Shawl Collars, double or single breasted, belted back Men's Overcoats worth $15 now $7.85

Men's fine Dress Overcoats in Black and Oxford Grays, fancy coats in rich coloring of Grays and Browns in the most approved styles. In clothes are shawl collars in single or double breasted. The cloths are Chinchillas, Kerseys, Meltons, Thibets and all the new Scotch weaves. With or without belted back, value $20 now $9.65

Men's Coats, beautiful models that possess much character and individuality are shown in this assortment, 46 to 50 inches long, made of Chinchilla, Cassimere, Kersey, Melton and Thibet cloths, in beautiful coloring effects including the new Cambridge Grays, worth $25 now only $14.75

BOYS' OVERCOATS

Nobby overcoats for the boys ages 3 to 10, Military collar, protects the neck, belt all around, double breasted, Grays, Browns and Tans, value $3 now $1.95

Boys' Overcoats made of popular and serviceable materials, such as Cheviots and Cassimeres, shawl and military collars, Norfolk and Belted Backs, Single and Double Breasted in all the popular shades, value $6.00 now $2.97

Shoe Department

THE LARGEST AND BEST EXCLUSIVE SHOE ROOM IN THE CITY

Pocket Book Slippers for men and women in Tan and Black, a dandy Christmas present worth $1.50 ....98c

Ladies' Fur lined Juliets for Christmas presents. These are solid leather soles. We handle no fake shoes. $1.50 ones 98c

Ladies' fancy Felt Juliets in all colors, ribbon laced top, $1.75 values $1.24

Men's House Slippers in colors, $1.50 value 98c

Men's Gun Metal Shoes, Blucher and Button, worth $3 only $1.98

Men's Goodyear Welt Shoes worth $3.50 only $2.88

Men's Shoes in Gun Metal, latest lasts, Tan and Black leathers, $4 value $2.98

Men's Shoes in the new lasts, Button and Blucher, Tan and Black leathers, worth $5 only $3.98

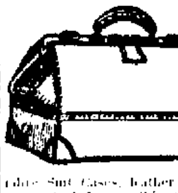
Ladies' Shoes in Gun Metal and Vici Kid, Button and Lace, worth $3.00, only $1.98

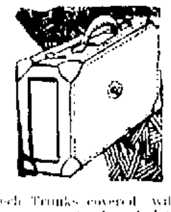
Ladies' Shoes in Gun Metal and Tans, Button and Lace $2.98

Ladies' Shoes in Button and Lace, Velvets and suede, also Tan and Black leathers, high boots, worth $4.50 for only $3.48

Space forbids quoting prices on Boys', Misses' and Children's Shoes, but the prices we quote carry the same reductions mentioned above.

Suitcase, Trunk and Bag Department





Fibre Suit Cases, leather corners, steel frame, $1.50 value at 78c

A very serviceable case, made of heavy fibre and steel frame, brass trimmed, 24 inches long, full linen lined, wears better than leather, worth $3.00 for only $1.98

Suit Cases made of heavy cow hide leather on steel frame, brass trimmed, linen lined, straps all around, with shirt fold, worth $8, only $4.85

A roomy Suit Case made of best brown leather, has fancy linen lining, brass trimmed, with dividing partition in lid which allows an expansion of 4 1-2 inches, two heavy cow hide straps, worth $10.00 for only $5.85

Suit Cases made of genuine cow leather, corners solid leather and studded with five polished brass rivets, figured muslin lined, 2 inch cow hide straps, brass lock and catches, $15.00 value for only $9.85

English Club Bags, Black and Tan leathers, hand sewed throughout, including corners, leather lined, worth $12.00 for only $7.85

Choice of Black, Tan or Brown, 18-inch high class Leather Bags, hand sewed throughout, brass trimmed, locking lock and key, full leather lined, with inside pocket, worth $15 only ..$9.85

English 18-inch Bags, made of genuine Walrus leather, hand sewed and brass trimmed, full leather lined with inside pocket, worth $15 only ..$9.85

Couch Trunks covered with heavy canvas, hardwood slats, Excelsior lock, worth $5.00 only $2.69

An extra strong trunk 32 inches long, made to withstand hard usage, covered with heavy dark brown canvas, bound with wide steel bands and extra heavy brass plated trimmings, Excelsior lock and two heavy leather straps, worth $8.00 now $4.85

A well made extra strong trunk 34 inches long, covered with heavy painted canvas, bound with hardwood slats and fibre bands, full linen lined and heavy brass knockers, worth $10 now $5.85

An up to date Trunk that is unexcelled for convenience and durability, constructed from the very best grade of fibre in two shades, brown and green 36 inches long and 22 inches wide, bound with extra heavy fibre bands, studded with brass rivets, fitted with two trays, the top one being adjustable, two extra heavy cow hide straps and spring lock, worth $20.00 for only $9.85

Steamer Trunks

An all fibre Steamer Trunk brass trimmed, heavy fibre bound, spring lock and full linen lined, worth $20.00 for only $9.85

Men's Boys and Child's Caps

Men's and Boys' 50c Caps with inside Fur Bands 23c

Men's and Boys' 75c and $1 Caps in all fine Wool Cloths, also Velvets, Corduroys and Chinchillas, inside Fur bands 48c

Child's Skull Caps in Velvets and Chinchillas, 75c values 48c

Men's and Boys' $2 Fur Caps 98c

Men's $2.50 Satin lined Fur Caps $1.48

Men's $3 Fur Caps, Satin lined $1.95

Men's $5 Fur Caps, finely lined $2.95

MEN'S HATS

Men's $2 Fur Hats, both soft and stiff, late styles 95c

$2.50 new mode Hats in Fur, Chinchillas and Scratch, soft and stiff Men's and Young Men's Hats $1.45

Men's Velour and fine Satin lined and unlined Fur Hats, all models, $3 values only $1.85

Child's Chinchilla, Corduroy and Cloth 75c and $1 Hats 48c

Boys' $1.50 Fur Hats 95c

Men's and Boys' Underwear

Men's heavy White Back Sanitary Fleece lined Underwear 39c

Men's Ribbed Fleeced fine Cotton Winter 50c Underwear 39c

Men's Grey and Red $1.50 Wool Underwear 89c

Men's $1.50 Union Suits made with closed crotch 98c

Boys' heavy Fleece lined and ribbed 50c Union Suits 39c

Men's 75c Lambsdown heavy Fleece lined Underwear 48c

Men's 50c Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, shirts only large sizes 29c

Bear in mind that this Christmas Sale continues until 10:30 p. m., Wednesday, December, 24. Every advertised item on sale. Small lots not advertised. Bring this with you. Let it act as your guide

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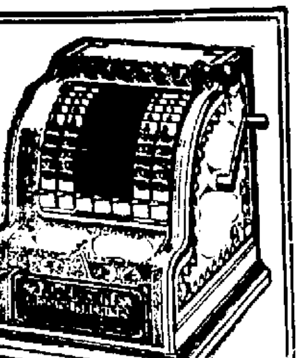

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See our exhibit—ask for 10 days' trial

Here is a new price on a competent Adder. On a machine that is rapid, full-size and infallible.

The very latest machine, built by men who know, in one of the largest metal-working shops.

It is an individual Adder, to be placed on one's desk, close to one's books and papers. To take the place of the central machine requiring skilled operators.

It is also intended for offices and stores where costly machines are a luxury.

The price is due to utter simplicity, and to our enormous output. Seven keys do all the work.

Each copied number is shown up for checking before the addition is made.

The machine will add, subtract and multiply. With very slight practice anyone can compute a hundred figures a minute. And the machine never makes mistakes.

Countless offices, large and small, are getting from these machines the highest class of service.

Now we make this offer so that offices everywhere may learn what this machine means to them.

Ten Days' Test

We will gladly place in any office one American Adder for a ten days' test.

There will be no obligation, and charges will be prepaid.

Compare it with any non-lister—even the costliest. Let anyone use it. See if any machine can serve better than this.

Just send us this coupon and we'll send the machine.

Please send us an American Adding Machine for ten days' free trial.

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ELKS PAY TRIBUTE TO HONORED DEAD

Beautiful in simplicity and impressive in character, the Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks No. 15 held their annual lodge of sorrow Sunday afternoon, when they honored their dead with fitting ceremony. Their memories were made green with reverence and prettily worded eulogies and the services, always characterized by impressiveness, were more so than usual Sunday.

The gray, somber day and the swirling snow formed an ideal background for the one day in the calendar of this fraternal organization when its members gather to pay tribute to those who have crossed the great divide, to those whom the mystic portals have closed behind.

Exalted Ruler Will J. Meyer presided over the exercises, which were attended by one of the largest audiences ever assembled in the Elks' hall. There was a commendable representation of the membership present and the services were beautifully carried out, the musical feature of the program being in harmony with the occasion. An added feature was the appearance of a quartet from Ashland, Ky. It was composed of Messrs. Nelson Weeden, J. S. Hager, J. M. Salmon and F. B. Moore. They sang two selections, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Savior Comfort Me" with exquisite harmony, the voices blending excellently. Both pieces were sung with becoming tenderness and the members of the quartet earned praise from the Elk lodge in fulfilling their engagement under the unfavorable atmospherical conditions.

Following the opening exercises by the Exalted Ruler, in which the officers and members of the lodge took part, Watson W. Goddard, one of the city's sweetest singers, sang, "The Day is Ended, with violin obligato by Mrs. F. W. Rardin. Mr. Goddard, a member of the order, sang with much feeling and handled his selection with the skill of an artist.

The invocation by the Rev. John Wirt Dunning, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was followed by a quartet selection, "The Unseen City," by Miss Ella Berry, H. C. Boyd, Mrs. Charles Storch and Will H. Schwartz. This favorite hymn was sung in a manner that touched the hearts of all.

Miss Sadie Krieder then recited "L'Envoi by Kipling and followed it with a composition by Mrs. Edgar F. Draper, which was in keeping with the reverential spirit of the day.

Exalted Ruler Meyer, before the services were concluded, gave a brief but touching eulogy upon the lives of Dr. Charles Flint Kline and Thomas H. Yeager, members of the order, who fell victims to the grim reaper's scythe this year. Mr. Meyer hit upon a happy idea when he read what the newspapers said about these well-known young men at the time of their deaths. Each was paid a pretty tribute of his integrity, popularity and character and Mr. Meyer painted a pretty mental picture of their good deeds and their unswerving loyalty to the Lodge of Elks, which they loved so dearly. In the days when good health was theirs both Dr. Kline and Mr. Yeager were in evidence at all the gatherings, be they social or business, with their characteristic smiles and the ready hand of good fellowship. Called to a better world, eternal peace is theirs.

Benediction by Rev. Mr. Dunning closed the exercises, and another memorial day of the local Elk lodge passed into history. It is a beautiful custom, one that is held dear to the heart of every Elk. It is a day to rekindle the memory with the good deeds of those who have fallen in life's battles and have severed their earthly ties.

On Sunday similar services were held in 1,300 Elk lodges throughout the country.

A feature of the exercises that elicited much favorable comment was the beautiful decorations. Potted plants, chrysanthemums and baskets of roses and lillies were used with pleasing effect. The names of Yeager and Kline gleamed through two purple globes in plain view of the audience and reminded them of the two members, who had departed life this year. The decorative work was artistically done by Mr. Harry Boyd of thae Bragdon Drygoods company.

At the close of the services a huge cluster of fluffy chrysanthemums was sent to the home of Ray Duvendeck, who remains in a critical condition with typhoid fever.

Stomach Troubles Disappear

Stomach, liver and kidney troubles, weak nerves, lame back and female ills disappear when Electric Bitters are used. Thousands of women would not be without a bottle in their home. Eliza Pool, of Depew, Okla., writes: "Electric Bitters raised me from a bed of sickness and suffering and has done me a world of good. I wish every suffering woman could use this excellent remedy and find out, as I did, just how good it is." As it has helped thousands of others, it surely will do the same for you. Every bottle guaranteed, 50c and $1.00. At all Druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis. adv.

BREAKS A COLD, NEEDS NO HELP

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends severe colds or grippe in few hours.

You can end grippe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

POKER GAME SWINDLE

From the North End Sunday afternoon, Columbus Johnson, colored, let ou a squeal that was heard at the mayor's office, that he had been swindled in a little social poker game carried on in one of the dens. He wanted all fellow-players arrested, but when the police reached the "scene" the game was broken up and the "bank" evidently "busted."

80 Couples At Dance

More than 80 couples attended the club dance given Saturday night in the Wilhelmette hall by the Gala Trio. These dances will be continued every Saturday night throughout the winter months.

Has Bought A Ford

Prosecuting Attorney Horace L. Small has purchased a Ford touring car, which has already been delivered to him. Mr. Small has disposed of his Marion machine.

Join the Big Class

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Royal Order of Lions

"Monarch of Them All"

CHARTER LIST OPEN. ONLY $5

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402 MASONIC BUILDING

ROBBERS RAIDED OSBORNE'S HOME

When Ben Osborne, a street car motorman, went to his home, 1018 Ninth street, after midnight Saturday, after laying aside his cares from a day's work, he found a door in the house open. Making an investigation he found one of the rooms ransacked and clothes lying all over the floor. A small purse, concealed in a pocket of a coat belonging to his wife was missing, along with the $5 it contained.

The thief had evidently slipped into the home while Mrs. Osborne and the children slept and plied his nefarious trade. The thief was evidently only looking for money, as he ignored several pieces of valuable jewelry strewn about on the dresser.

Bell System

One family in three throughout the United States has a telephone. Each Bell Telephone is a Long Distance Telephone.

The families that use their telephones to keep up family and social ties, to share happiness, to relieve anxiety, to express sympathy—in other words, use it to the fullest extent regardless of distance—get many times the real service from the telephone that others do.

Use the Long Distance Lines

CENTRAL UNION TELEPHONE COMPANY

W. E. PUTNAM, Manager.

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WOMAN BADLY HURT IN A FALL TO CELLAR

The Overstreet grocery store on Eleventh street was the scene of a most distressing accident about 6 o'clock Saturday evening when Mrs. Luella Cowdrey, of 1921 Eleventh street, fell headlong through an open cellar door and sustained multiple injuries. Her left arm was fractured near the shoulder, while she suffered serious sprains of her right wrist and left ankle, to say nothing of numerous bruises about the body.

Employees of the store rescued her from her perilous position, and carried her to her home, where she was attended by Dr. W. W. Smith. No serious results are anticipated, but the victim will be laid up for several days.

Mrs. Cowdrey had gone to the store to use the telephone, and in reaching the instrument failed to note the open cellar door. She was precipitated down into the cellar without the slightest warning. Mrs. Cowdrey is the widow of Victor L. Cowdrey, the N. & W. engineer, who was killed at Williamsburg about a year ago by being struck by an overhead bridge.

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CAME FROM GERMANY

All the way from Koenigsburg, Germany, came a prescription to Wurster Bros., Monday and they filled it with their usual accuracy and promptness. The prescription was written by Prof. Dr. Askanazy of Koenigsburg and was sent to a Portsmouth citizen at his request and was written in German.

Findeis Cafe and Restaurant

JACOB P. FINDEIS, Prop.

OYSTERS, FISH, STEAKS, CHOPS

GAME IN SEASON TO ORDER

DINNER LUNCH 25 CENTS

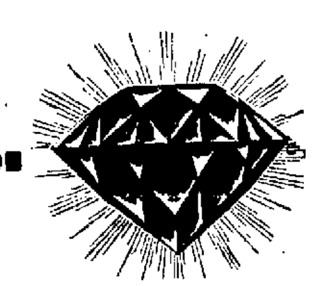
ALL KINDS OF BULBS AND THE VERY BEST

Now is the time to buy them Hyacinths, Tulips, Crocuses, Narcisses, and Chinese Sacred Lillies.

THE FISHER AND STREICH PHARMACY

P. M. STREICH, Prop.

Wholesale and Retail Drugs. Cor. Sixth and Chillicothe



Diamond Rings

No other gift makes an impression like the Diamond—admired by every lady and gentleman, a gift that lasts forever and never depreciates in value. We have an exceptionally large display of fine gems set in plain and fancy rings and besides our prices are very attractive. You can select your diamond here with utmost confidence of getting the very best quality.

LADIES' RINGS in 14 kt. gold tiffany mounting from $30, $65, $70, $100 to $260

GENTS' RINGS in 14 kt. plain and fancy mountings from $36, $45, $100 to $300

MISSES' DIAMONDS in dainty settings from $6.00 to $25.00

Make your selection now and have it laid aside.

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TOOTHACHE, NEURALGIA

For toothache, dip a piece of cotton in St. Jacobs Oil and dessert ... the aching tooth. Also rub it on the gums. Instant relief follows. For Neuralgia rub St. Jacobs Oil right on the "pain spot" whether the face, neck or any part of the body and by the time you count fifty the neuralgia misery and pain disappears.

Get a small trial bottle from any drug store and get instant relief from toothache and neuralgia. Don't suffer! This old-time penetrating oil is harmless, doesn't burn or discolor the skin and never disappoints.

Refused Drink, Took Knife

Going into Julius Arbogast's saloon, 1026 Findlay street, Charles Whitehead, 53 Seventh street, was refused a drink because he appeared to be already under the influence of liquor. Angered by the rejection, Whitehead is alleged to have stolen a carving knife from the lunch counter. Police later found him and forced him to return the knife.

Garthee To Open

Bird Garthee, who was recently given a license to continue in the saloon business, has rented Emil Doerr's property on Market street, which has been occupied by Jack Monroe. Garthee will open his saloon Tuesday. Years ago this property was known as the St. Charles Hotel, and in its day it has entertained many distinguished citizens.

Sign Was Blown Down

During the severe windstorm Sunday morning, the large sign in front of the N. & W. ticket office, in the Grand Opera House building, was blown to the sidewalk with a resounding crash. Fortunately no damage was done, except to the sign, which was only slightly marred.

Came Down From Capital

Eddie Donalds, who is employed in Columbus, spent Saturday and Sunday with Portsmouth friends. He has a good position in the Capital City.

Moved To Maysville

Elijah Johnson, who recently gave up his position with the Selby Shoe company, has moved his family to Maysville. Mr. Johnson is a former resident of that city.

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Big Day Enjoyed By Trinity Class

(By H. M. S.)

The Men's Big Bible class at Trinity only lacked one of having an even 200 Sunday--and Hon. Lou F. Thompson was absent. Some fellows will have a lot to answer for some of these days in the sweet bye-and-bye.

There were three big features in the session. The singing of "The Pilgrim Singers," the splendid address of Prof. J. H. Finney and Hon. Mark A. Crawford's good explanation of "What Constitutes a Statesman."

At the opening Prof. Greshel conducted a fine devotional song service. Miss Elizabeth Norris presiding at the piano. The Pilgrim Singers then sang beautifully "Drifting Away." This splendid quartet seems to sing better every time they are called upon and are one of the big features of the sessions of the class.

Prof. Finney, in beginning his address, took occasion to say that the class did not settle everything, but agitates everything for you to give earnest consideration. He gave way to Hon. Mark A. Crawford to define statesman. Mark started to speak his piece from his seat, but had to come up front. He said in part:

"A statesman is a person who has intelligent theories of government, who is in a position to make those theories widely known, and whose theories have been and are being tested with successful results." Mark got quite a hand when he concluded and several on the front seats sat up straight and looked wise--as if they knew all the voting Slucks! With all due deference to everybody, it may be said in passing that only two men in the class really know what sort of animal a statesman is. One is Hon. Charles E. Hard, and the other--excuse the blush--is this Times man. Only a consummate politician can get "in a position to test his theories" of statesmanship.

Taking up the lessons, Prof. Finney showed there were thirteen tribes of Israel--and for fifty years we've believed there were only twelve!--Twelve tribes were designated by the twelve sons of Jacob. The two sons of Joseph being each given a name in place of Joseph, makes thirteen tribes. Only eleven tribes lived in Canaan, and two in Gilead. During his address Prof. Finney gave some interesting information about the river Jordan. It is 130 miles long, has 26 rapids, and four fords. It appears 180 times in the Old Testament and 15 times in the New Testament.

Merle Hood took exceptions to a statement of Prof. Finney as to the length of a cubit. Merle said "he sold 'em down at Hicks and ought to know what they looked like."

How many memorials did the Lord order built after the Israelites had crossed the Jordan? Col. "Milt" Skinaway said "two," and the class laughed. Col. "Milt" is some Bible authority, but he gets his facts mixed--"pied" we say on a newspaper. Mr. Smith said "twelve"--another grin--and Prof. C. U. Bridwell "guessed" one. It was built at Gilgal with twelve stones from the river Jordan. There were two built, for the Lord only ordered one.

The teacher gave an eloquent description of the fall of Jericho from last Sunday's lesson. The great lesson to be drawn from this is faith. Joshua had faith in God and therefore he won.

During his address Mr. Finney mentioned Steubenville as voting "dry." Prof. Finney was there for three days campaigning and helped much to put the namesake of Baron Steuben of Revolutionary fame in the right column.

At the close President John McMillan injected some more ginger. All the fellows were feeling good over a gain of 24, and for a bad day, too, but John wasn't satisfied at all. He wants another hundred to commence with and he is goin' to have 'em or "burst a belly-band" trying. Mac is sure some booster.

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BANQUET ON DECEMBER 30

Arrangements are rapidly being completed for the Pan Hellenic dinner which local students are planning to give on December 30. The executive committee has several agreeable surprises in store for the members of the college fraternal organization, which is to become a permanent thing. Here are the various committees that have been named to look after the first college dinner of this sweeping nature ever given in the city: Orson Ogier, chairman; Russell Anderson, Wallace Drew and Dr. P. W. Young; program, Guy V. Williams, chairman, Ed Reed and Mark Selby; foreign relations, Dr. George Mytinger, chairman, Frank Moulton, Frank Dudnit and James Williams; guarantee, Dr. P. W. Young, chairman, Rev. J. W. Dunning, Floyd Fuller, Dr. S. P. Fetter, Howard Harsha, Merton Shumway, Homer Selby, Charles Turley, Dr. D. J. Lloyd and Evan Williams; publicity, Ed Reed, chairman, George Taylor and Stanley McCall; reception, Watson Gabbard, chairman, Guy Williams, Orson Ogier, Dr. P. W. Young, Ed Reed, Wallace Drew and Dr. George S. Mytinger.

CO. K MEN ARE AT MEETING

Captain Clifford Drown and Lieut. Ollie W. Peel left Sunday morning for Cleveland to attend a meeting of Ohio National Guard Officers association.

Horse Plays "Hookey"

A horse belonging to A. A. Hanson, a grocer, of the West End, played truant Saturday night and wandered all over town. Officer Frank Schwachel arrested it for loitering and locked the animal up in the stable of the mayor's office. The owner bailed it out Sunday morning.

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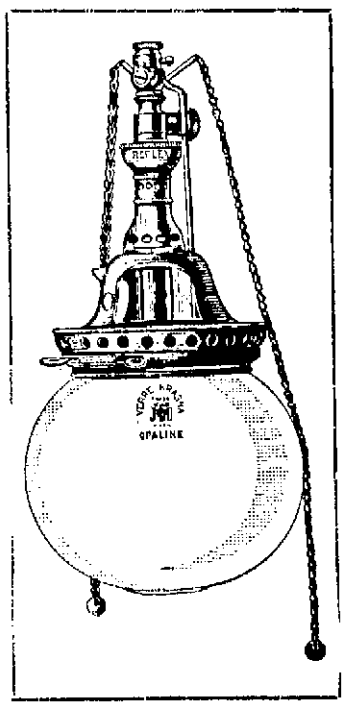

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Engine Explodes, Fireman Is Killed

Bluefield, W. Va., December 8.—Chas. Virts, of Roanoke, fireman on a train running between Norfolk and Columbus, was killed Saturday when the boiler of his engine exploded at Wills, east of here.

The body of the fireman was hurled from the engine and over telegraph wires.

The engineer, Warren Lenkons, escaped with only slight injuries.

The crown sheet and grates of the engine were blown out and the fire-box door was blown from its hinges, but the wheels remained upon the track.

Robbery Joke

When Boyd Aikman, 831 Front street, awoke Sunday morning he found the window in his bedroom open and his watch gone. Circumstances were too suspicious so he hot-footed it to the mayor's office and reported the daring robbery. When Aikman returned home he found his watch just where he left it, his father having played a joke on him, hiding the watch and raising the window.

HERE'S CHAMPION RABBIT EATER

A communication to The Times averes that Dave Price, well known North End bartender, is the champion rabbit eater of Portsmouth, Scioto county, the state of Ohio, and Greenup county, Ky. The other night Dave sat down to a rabbit meal, and without any effort consumed a rabbit and a half. He was much disappointed then to find that a companion had eaten the other half of the second rabbit.

"Gosh, well," said Dave, when he made the discovery, "a fellow can't expect to get enough to eat these days of high prices."

TIME'S UP

It's time to have that long-promised portrait taken, besides it would make a most acceptable Xmas present.

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Reason Unreasonable, Is Up Before Mayor

"People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones," stated Mrs. Reason Gilkerson to Mayor F. N. Tynes Monday morning in police court, in referring to "neighbors" who had objected to the marital rows of herself and husband.

Although she admitted that her husband had mistreated her, she refused to testify against him and warmly defended him with a story that discredited one of her "neighbors" who asked Reason Gilkerson's arrest before dawn broke Sunday morning because they claimed he had kept them awake all night by quarreling with his wife. One prominent citizen had threatened to take the matter up with the probate court unless the police took drastic action.

"I only drank a half pint of whiskey and some beer," said Reason to the mayor, when he denied that he was drunk.

In order to secure more evidence, the mayor continued the case until Tuesday morning. Gilkerson has served one term in the workhouse and there is a suspended sentence hanging over his head.

Returns To Columbus

Gottlieb Boesinger has returned to Columbus after spending a few days with Portsmouth relatives and friends. Mr. Boesinger was for many years a resident of Portsmouth.

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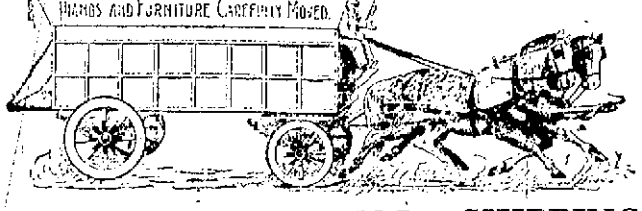

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No. 7, daily, local ....3:07 p. m.
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No. 17, week days, local, 6:01 a. m.

East Bound

No. 2, daily, fast train, 2:52 p. m.
No. 4, daily, fas train, 11:52 p. m.
No. 8, daily, local ....11:15 a. m.
No. 6, daily, fast train, 9:12 p. m.
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BRIGGS HAD GOOD OLD NERVE

The Columbus Citizen says:

"Maurice Briggs, Ohio State's All-State halfback, will leave a heritage behind him for future football candidates when he leaves the university in the spring. After he is gone, students and players will point at his picture in the team house, when 'little fellows' claim they have not enough beef to try for the team. They will say, 'How about Briggs? He only weighed 139 pounds.' That is what Briggs weighed at the close of the past season. He is probably the lightest man who ever held down a halfback position at State. But he was a star—an 'All-Ohio' man.

"There is a reason. He has nerve. No man who ever wore a State uniform ever showed more grit than he.

Briggs was not a 'natural born' football player. He played in high school at Portsmouth, his home. When he began to shine and dash around ends for big gains at State, Portsmouth people were surprised. He never showed much in high school, they said.

"But Briggs' development into a star did not start until he reached college. Probably he wouldn't be nearly as great a star today if he hadn't been a 'fresh kid' when he came. He was 'fresh' all right. There's no denying it.

"Right off the reel he started into all kinds of athletics. Right off the reel he won the antagonism of the coaches, who never like 'fresh kids' because they generally haven't 'the goods' to back up their freshness.

"But Briggs had. He toiled along as best he could through his freshman year, taking many a knock. The next year Harry Vaughn came to coach the football team. If there was anything Vaughn did not like, it was 'freshness.' He at once took a dislike to Briggs. He made up his mind that 'freshness' was not conducive to the dignity of the squad and resolved to chase him off it.

"Every evening he worked Briggs harder than anyone else. He gave him the ball and let big guys tackle him until Briggs was nearly fagged. He was the goat of the squad. The other players several times threw him in the swimming tank with his football clothes on.

"But when Briggs hit the ground after the fierce tackles he didn't feel discouraged. Instead he felt like swearing. He had nerve. He went at it hard. He beat Vaughn at his own game and at the end of the season Vaughn said: 'I'll hand it to you, youngster. You're one of the gamest I ever saw. Next year you will be a great halfback.' He realized that Briggs' baptism of fire had made a player of him.

"Briggs was a great halfback 'next year.' That was in 1912. He was close to the varsity even though Ryan and Morrissey were playing a great game. He was in there trying all the time, and at the end of the season got a chance. It was all he needed. He was a wonder in the two or three games he got in. His record of the past season need not be commented on, except to say that he was the fastest halfback in the state.

"And it might be added that Briggs' knocks have knocked the 'freshness' off. He isn't called 'fresh' any more. Instead, fellows, now graduated, who used to apply the term when he was a freshman, now call him one of the gamest halfbacks that State has ever had—and he has won the title."

Anti Tubercular Day

Sunday was observed as Anti-Tubercular Day all over the state. Climatically it was ideal. Tubercular germs could hardly thrive in such weather.

In practically every church in Portsmouth some reference both literally and financially was made to the crusade. Few people realize that Scioto county ranks second in the prevalence of tuberculosis in the state. It is being combated by a well fortified Anti Tubercular Society, which, although only recently organized, is doing effective work.

NO 'MOCKERY' MARRIAGES

"The story published in Saturday's Times that Francis Mack of the Lyric theatre, wanted a couple to get married before his moving picture camera, seems to have been somewhat misconstrued in as much as Mr. Mack refuses to pay any costs whatever or do anything that would encourage a marriage of a "burlesque" nature. "The only kind of a marriage of which I would take a picture," Mack says, "would be a regular church wedding, and then I would present the picture to the happy couple and it would be a mighty interesting thing on their golden wedding day to take the picture to a picture house and have it shown and see themselves 'fifty years ago.'" Mr. Mack has one of the best moving picture cameras in the country and Virgil Fowler, who operates it, is growing more proficient every day with it and promises some real novelties in "Home-made Movies" in the near future.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued over Sunday:

Thomas E. Powell, aged 27, a steelworker, and Minnie M. Reynolds, aged 19, both of New Boston. Squire Shakespeare officiated.

George E. McClain, aged 23, a steelworker, and Maud Wheeler, aged 21, both of the city. Rev. Dunning officiated.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given to holders of Stock in "The Portsmouth Engine Company" that the annual meeting will be held at the office of the Company at Portsmouth, Ohio, at 9 a. m. Tuesday, January 20th, 1914.

The Portsmouth Engine Company
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Licenses Received

The liquor license certificates granted to William B. Ziegler and Bird Garthee last week were received by the County Board Monday and were delivered immediately. It will be a few days before either saloon opens for business, as the properties in which they will be located are undergoing repairs. Ziegler's place will be at 319 Chillicothe street, while Garthee's saloon will be located at 218 Market street.

Ad The Salvage

Fred McElroy has returned to his work as a clerk in the Salvage store, after being off duty two months because of an attack of typhoid fever.

Football

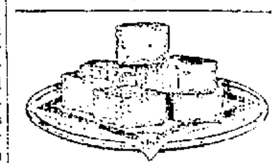
The football game between Giants and the [illegible] for the championship of the city called off Sunday on account of the muddy condition of the [illegible]. The Giants have arranged for a game with the local high school for Christmas day. The [illegible] Midways will be the Giants' opponents at Millbrook park Sunday afternoon.

Engineers To Meet

A regular meeting of the [illegible] Engineers is to be held Tuesday night.

Vacation Over

Carey Roberts, a local mail carrier, returned to work Monday after a few days vacation.



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BOYS DAY AT THE RAILWAY Y. M. C. A.

Sunday was Boys' day at the local Y. M. C. A., and the spacious lobby of this popular institution was filled with visitors. The boys who went to the recent Fostoria Boys' convention as delegates gave the report of their trip at this meeting.

Mr. C. W. Ridenour was in charge and kept things moving at a lively gait, and there wasn't a dull moment during the hour's program. The first number on the program was a selection by the Boy Scout orchestra, "The Boy Scout March." Then followed a very inspiring song service, accompanied by the orchestra. The orchestra then played another selection, "The Patrol Leaders' March," followed with prayer by Dave Williams.

The first delegate to speak was Dave Williams, who told of the convention in a very interesting manner. His account was chiefly about the convention sessions and some of the topics discussed. He was followed by Carey Williams, whose subject was "The Portsmouth Delegation," which was the humorous side of the convention, with polite digs at a few of the members of the Portsmouth delegation.

Messrs. William Trone and William Hopkins then rendered a beautiful cornet and violin duet, "Twilight Reverie," accompanied by M. H. F. Kinsey on the piano. The last speaker was Curtis Ayers who had a splendid account of the convention, told in an interesting manner.

Mr. Ridenour then called on Mr. Kinsey for a word in reference to his work among the boys of Portsmouth, and in a short talk he told the railroad men just what was being accomplished and how the Boy Scout movement had gotten such a grip on the boy life in Portsmouth.

The following other delegates were present: Clifford Zuhars, Curtis Bellamy and Imboden Hudson. One of the chief features of the afternoon's program was the splendid music by Messrs. Trone, Hopkins, Shaw and Kinsey.

East End Troop Tonight.

The East End troop will meet tonight at the home of Scout Frank Davis, 1124 Monroe street, at 7 o'clock. This will be their musical evening and about ten musical numbers will be rendered by some of Portsmouth's best talent. Several new members will be received.

Basketball Tonight.

A fast basketball game will be pulled off tonight at the First Presbyterian gym between Troop 3 team and Troop 4. These are the two strongest scout teams in the city and a great game is expected. Admission 25 cents for grown people, 10 cents for scouts.

Debate Friday.

Trinity scouts will hold another debate on the coming Friday evening; subject: Resolved, That capital punishment should be abolished. Affirmative, Russell Williams and Arthur Young; negative, Carey Williams and Harold Shumway.

Church League.

The younger scouts of the First Presbyterian troop will organize a league for four teams in basketball. The league will open the first of the year and will be in charge of Harry Ludwick and Scoutmaster Dunning. The boys' work is making fine progress at this church this season, there being 129 boys in gym classes, under the leadership of eight instructors. The work is making great progress under the efficient leadership of Messrs. Schlichter, Pride and Ludwick.

Manly Church Headquarters.

Beginning with the new year the new East End troop will have their headquarters at the Manly M. E. church, and the leaders expect fully 100 boys lined up by spring. Rev. Hart and his board will do all they can to encourage the work in this section of the city.

Kendall Avenue Has First-Class Scout.

Scoutmaster Langhorne has certainly been making things come to pass in his troop at Kendall avenue. Since taking charge he has turned out seven second-class scouts, and now he produces a first-classer in the person of Scout Emil Cook, who passed a fine examination before our local court of honor. Cook makes the 12th first-class scout in the city, and his examination averaged above 90 per cent. Mr. Langhorne is in New York this week, and while there will visit the National headquarters of Boy Scouts.

Harugari Elects

Closing a successful year and preparing for another the Schillermanne No. 46, an auxiliary of the Harguari, elected new officers Sunday afternoon as follows: William Gims, O. G.; Jacob Findeis, U. G.; John Herrmann, secretary; John Linck, treasurer. The staff of officers is an excellent representative of the membership of the order and its destiny is placed in excellent hands for the coming year.

SANTA CLAUS LETTER NOTICE

The Times is receiving hundreds of Santa Claus letters from its little friends and it intends to publish every one of them. Do not be disappointed if your letter is not published the day it is mailed. It will surely appear during the week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Although the weather Sunday was of the most unfavorable sort nearly one thousand were present at Trinity Sunday school and four of the other schools had over five hundred each. Following is the attendance of the different Sabbath schools:

Trinity	901
Christian	769
Manly	560
Bigelow	525
Second Presbyterian	518
First Presbyterian	420
German Evangelical	301
First Baptist	255
United Brethren	215
Kendall Avenue Baptist	175
German M. E.	165
Hutchins Street Baptist	131
Central Presbyterian	112

House Of Sickness

Mrs. Andrew Stevenson has fully recovered from the typhoid fever. Mr. Stevenson who has been seriously ill with the same malady, lost consciousness Saturday night and still remains so. Maris Stevenson is slowly recovering from the prevailing disease.

Charles Setters who lives downstairs in the same house as the Stevenson family on Stanton avenue, New Boston, was taken ill with typhoid fever Thursday night. Myrtle Setters is very low with the same disease. Elbert Setters, another child, is slowly recovering from the fever.

Joe Bell In Hospital

Ben Bell has returned from Philadelphia where he left his aged father, Joe Bell, known to nearly every one in Portsmouth, ill in the city hospital. The aged man was so bewildered when he arrived in Philadelphia he could not tell his name, nor from whence he came. He had also forgotten the name of his relatives. He was first sent to the Masonic Home and then to the hospital. The hospital officials would not allow him to be removed at present as he is still sick.

Will Sue Railway

With the view of bringing a suit against the Portsmouth Street Railway and Light company for William Stone of Lewis county, Kentucky, Attorney R. D. Wilson, of Vanceburg, Ky., was in consultation with Attorney N. B. Gilliland Saturday and the papers were drawn up to be filed later.

Stone claims that he was damaged as the result of personal injuries sustained alighting from a car at the Kendall avenue and Gallia street January 19, 1913. He claims the conductor shoved him and then started the car before he was able to alight.

Fractured Bone

Mrs. William Kent of Seventh street, while shopping down town Monday, slipped on an icy sidewalk on Chillicothe street and fractured a small bone in her left wrist.

SERVICES AT THE HOLY REDEEMER

The three days triduum which began at Holy Redeemer church Saturday morning will close this evening at 7:30 o'clock, sun time. The exercises will consist of the rosary, sermon and benediction of the most Blessed Sacrament.

Today being the feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, services were held this morning at five o'clock and [illegible] o'clock.

Special devotions are also being conducted at St. Mary's.

Rev. Brooks On Program

Rev. C. S. Brooks, of this city, is one of the instructors at the Tri-State School of Methods which began its sessions Monday at the Central Christian church, Huntington, W. Va. Child welfare, the Bible, missions, pedagogy, pastoral evangelism, organization and management are among the topics to be discussed.

New Directory

The Home Telephone company announced Monday that they would issue another new directory in January. The present one is full of mistakes and a real directory is to be placed in the hands of their patrons in January.

Engineers Will Meet

The local engineers association will hold a meeting Tuesday evening at seven thirty in the G. A. R. hall on Gallia street. Every member is urged to be present.

Met Saturday

The county [illegible] met Saturday and [illegible] were [illegible]. The results of the meeting [illegible] several weeks. Prof. John E. Cook came down from [illegible] to attend [illegible].

New C & O Official

[illegible] W. Va., has been appointed [illegible] general agent of [illegible] at Huntington.

LUNACY CHARGE

Wanted in Lewis county, Ky., on a charge of grand larceny, Stephen Horsley was arrested Sunday night by the local police. The fellow is being held a prisoner in the local jail for Deputy Sullivan, of Vanceburg, Ky.

Estate Appraised

An appraisal on the John Grubbs estate at Sciotoville by Messrs. William Feazel, W. W. Weiser and Grant Wiseman values it at $2250. It consists of an eight acre tract with barn and other buildings and is located near Tonawanda. Administrator Mark A. Crawford was instrumental in the appraisement and will direct the sale of the property.

Was Too Ill

Because she was ill and could not attend the Elks Lodge of Sorrow, Sunday, Mrs. Watkins Kearnes of Fourth street, broke a record that extended over a period of 20 years. She had not missed an Elks' memorial since 1893, when her husband, who was a member of this order, passed away.

Mrs. Rice Resigns

Mrs. Samuel L. Rice, who recently accepted the position of organist in the All Saints church, has resigned owing to ill health. Mrs. Rice has been afflicted with nervousness for several weeks. Her successor will be appointed in a few days.

Back To Work

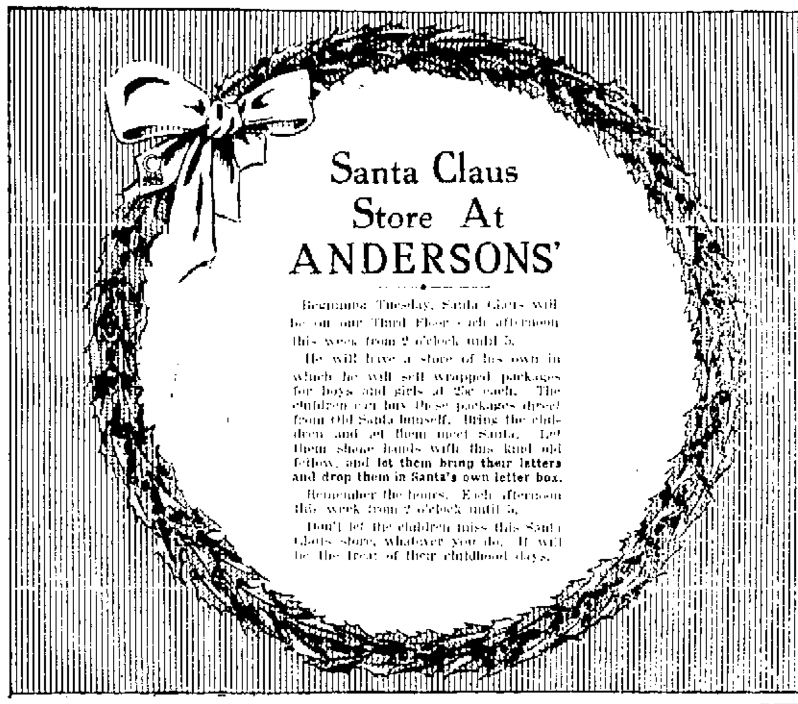
Arthur Harwood has returned to his work in the engineering department of the N. & W. after a two week's vacation.

Elected President

Fred D. Connolley a former Portsmouth resident, was elected president of the Buckeye Republican club of Columbus at the annual election held last Saturday night.

At Smoke House

Johnny Dean has resumed his old position as clerk in the Smoke House.



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Visitor Scores Poor Houses In The City

Sunshine and shadow alternated at Bigelow church Sunday evening, when John Ihlder, field secretary of the National Housing Association, talked on "Conditions in Portsmouth," and the pastor of Bigelow, the Rev. A. F. Hughes supplemented his address with one on "Who Is Responsible For the Bad Conditions in Portsmouth." The shadows came when Mr. Ihlder scored bad conditions he had seen in Portsmouth as equalling any he had ever seen in the cities. The sunshine was that Portsmouth is not handicapped by having tenements of a permanent nature, and is in shape to set the highest possible standard for the future if her citizens only awake.

The shadows of Rev. Hughes' address came in pictures of the hovels showing conditions which had brought forth the arraignment of Mr. Ihlder. The sunshine came in pictures of the splendid new buildings that are going up in Portsmouth, and the prophecy that Portsmouth with her solid basis of commercial activity is now awakening to te necessity of caring for "The Soul of the City."

Rev. Hughes placed the blame for poor housing conditions squarely on the shoulders of "All of Us." He said the business men, the merchants who enjoy patronage, the manufacturers who employ labor, etc., were all responsible, but that the citizenship in general could not dodge the responsibility.

"Good housing conditions is the most fundamental problem with which society has to deal," said Mr. Ihlder. "Upon the housing conditions is the home, upon the home the family, and upon the family the state. Therefore it behooves you to see that housing conditions in your city are good.

"Different cities have different housing problems. New York, one of the oldest cities of the country, has the problem of the great barracks, or tenements. She will always have that problem, but Portsmouth is in position to avoid such a condition.

"Portsmouth, however, has problems of her own. In the limited time I have been here I have seen some of them. Some of your back alleys, and houses here are the filthiest I have ever seen, and offer as little opportunity for cleanliness, health and decency as any in the larger cities. I saw a room over a stable where dwelt a family of six with two boarders, a condition sure to breed disease and immorality."

Mr. Ihlder said the conditions here were not peculiar to Portsmouth but were found in many, if not the most of other cities. He scored Cincinnati as the "worst tenement city west of the Alleghenies. He also scored the tenement in any shape, saying that "model tenements" were a misnomer, and were now being used to illustrate bad housing conditions. He urged the building of model dwellings.

As a relief for present conditions in Portsmouth Mr. Ihlder urged:

First—A local committee that will keep in mind Portsmouth must be a city of homes.

Second—Enactment of legislation that will set a minimum standard for buildings in regard to light, air, water, toilet facilities and privacy.

Third—The keeping on the job of the committee to see that the legislation is enforced.

Fourth—Development of some plan for the building of the right kind of houses.

In conclusion Mr. Ihlder urged that Portsmouth take up the matter early, saying if New York had done so she would not now have such mighty problems.

"And remember," said he, "that every house built in Portsmouth not up to the standard makes the question a harder one with which to deal."

"We are all responsible," said Rev. Hughes in the beginning of his address, "and we should all get busy in remedying this matter of poor housing. Our motto should be Portsmouth, the Best Housed City in the World."

Mr. Hughes then compared conditions in Portsmouth with those in Philadelphia, saying that a six room house here rents for from $25 to $30 and a similar house in Philadelphia for about $16.

Rev. Hughes said that some people said to him that all that was required to better conditions was to see that religion was spread in these poor houses. He took issue with that idea, saying that the environment must be improved to allow religion to secure a grasp on the people. He said in closing that it was a city wide problem and that all must help solve it.

That the people of the community are in earnest in regard to the matter of better housing was shown by the fact that notwithstanding it was the worst Sunday night of the year, Bigelow church auditorium was filled and the crowd overflowed into the galleries.

Next Sunday night Mr. Hughes will talk on the "Remedy for Bad Housing Conditions in Portsmouth," when he will outline plans for betterment, already having received assurances of support in the carrying out of his project.

Lad Of 12 Runs Off

The lure of sights and the glare of white lights which he read so much about in "literature" led William George, age 12, a nephew of John Lyons, of the Chillicothe pike, with whom he lives, to come to the city Saturday without his relatives consent or knowledge. Soon the police were looking for him.

Following his natural inclinations he landed at Dr. Jos Lake's horse stables to see the horses. Here he was detained until his uncle could claim him.

Back To His Work

After a two weeks' vacation Barney O'Connor has resumed his work as conductor on the local street railway line.

REV. SMALL HAS GREAT MEETINGS

Rev. Sam Small talked to a large audience at Bigelow church Sunday morning in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League. While his hair would indicate that he has grown older since his work in the evangelistic field, he still possesses his old-time vigor and eloquence, and for over an hour held his audience anxiously waiting and wondering what would come next. He took up the Anti-Saloon League at the time of its organization, and gave a history of the work accomplished, and the hard work it was to start it. "The Anti-Saloon League," said he, "was organized about ten years ago. At that time there were but three prohibition states, and now there are ten in the prohibition line. Fifty per cent of the territory of this country is now in the dry column. While there are 13 million more people now than when the Anti-Saloon League started, there are 53,532 fewer saloons now than there were then."

"This was evidence," said the speaker, "that the Anti-Saloon League was doing a great work, and the work has been done largely through the establishment of a sectional line between the north and the south, as was done before the civil war, in the establishing of the Mason and Dixon line. Following the laying of the Mason and Dixon line, the people of the North owning slaves sold them to us rebels of the South, then a few years later you came down there and licked the stuffing out of us, and freed our slaves, and now we are trying to help free you from the slavery of intemperance."

Trinity Afternoon Meeting

Rev. Small spoke at Trinity church in the afternoon to a very large audience, mostly men. He again proved himself a masterhand in this line of work. His many original sayings kept his hearers on the alert all the time. In reference to the saloons and the present saloon law, he said "that he was glad they were in good company, as now there were but three classes of people who in order to carry on their work, or profession, must give a certificate of good moral character. They were the minister of the gospel, the school teacher and the saloon-keeper. In Portsmouth you have possibly a half hundred saloons. I say you, because your people are partners in the business, and you hold the controlling interest, as the business cannot run without your permission. It is true when you make an effort to dissolve partnership, a howl is raised by the other partners and their friends, but the running of the business is up to the people. The people are becoming aroused to the situation and are rapidly dissolving partnership, and this is causing many to go out of business. In Steubenville, where there were more than one hundred saloons, the license law cut them down one-half, and the people concluded that if they could dispense with one-half they could with all, and an election resulted in making Steubenville dry. Junction City fell in line a few days later. There are people who pray for the man who is addicted to strong drink, and for his family who are the real sufferers, then step up to the ballot box and vote to retain the saloon—and these people claim to be Christians.

"What we need, and must have, is a citizenship that will be sincere and stand boldly for the right." In speaking of the good moral character as given the men engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors by the license law, he said: "Suppose in coming into this city, to whom do I go to verify this good character. It is useless for me to go to the preachers, for they would not give them a good character. I walk down street and climb to the third story of a building and enter the Masonic lodge; they tell me the saloon-men are not allowed in there. I then go to the Odd fellows, and they, I find are so 'Odd' they will not allow them in there. I go to the Knights of Pythias and the Red Men and they will not admit these men, notwithstanding they have produced certificates of good moral character, in order to procure a license."

For nearly two hours the speaker kept up his keen thrusts at the saloon business, and the people for allowing the saloons to run.

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In advertising we sell to the millions. And the word cost will average at least $10 each.

Done in competent ways it's the cheapest of salesmanship. The cost, in some cases, is two per cent. But let us consider what a problem it presents.

Ten dollars per word, and each word reaching millions.

Sometimes conditions are measured correctly. The plan is well thought out—based on ample experience. The words strike home.

The appeal brings instant, overwhelming response. A nation-wide sale is created.

Sometimes the plan is faulty, experience is lacking, the viewpoint mistaken. Sales are meager. In time, perhaps, this golden field is abandoned.

Both had the same chance, both paid the same price, but they had not the same men behind them.

Big Men Needed

Send out small salesmen if you will when the cost is $50 weekly. But for salesmen to the millions at $10 per word you need master men.

Don't start until you get them. Or, if you have started, stop.

After decades in advertising, let us assure you that this is no field for incompetents.

How shall these men be known? Not by glittering promises, not by showy service. Not by pleasing copy nor alluring plans.

The only way to judge them is by records of results.

Find the men who outsold others in a hundred hard-fought fields. Ask the men they sold for.

Big men grow bigger with every experience. Their success becomes more and more certain. But we find that unproved men, however promising, nearly always disappoint.

Reject all sophistry. Class promises with dreams. Bar the tempting word-pictures; get down to realities.

This field requires the rarest capacity. A ten-foot ring could easily encircle all the qualified men in America.

When you buy salesmanship at $10 per word it is time to look facts in the face.

We Have the Men

Lord & Thomas dominate in advertising because they have the men.

It took decades to get them, to train and develop. They culled them from hundreds who promised but fell.

In this vortex of advertising, with its countless experiences, these men attain maximum powers.

They command enormous incomes. There are nine men on our pay-roll whose aggregate salary is $227,000 per year.

These men can prove their supremacy. Some of their records cover dozens of years.

They can cite successes which every man knows. They are doing today the biggest things done in advertising.

If you will judge by actual sales and profits, they will fairly overwhelm you with proofs.

Safe and Sure

These men are safe. They move slowly. They investigate markets, canvass homes, make utterly sure of their ground.

They make limited tests before large risks are assumed.

And they are sure—as sure as business can be. No other corps in this field can show comparable capacity.

They serve for the usual agent's commission. The rate is the same on small accounts as large.

Small beginnings are as welcome as are seasoned undertakings.

Thus you are offered this maximum service at the price of mediocrity.

They wish to meet advertisers who are dissatisfied. Men who see others outsell them.

They seek interviews with all men who are seeking the light.

We don't send solicitors. We send the actual result-getters. Tell us when and where you will meet them.

Just Out In Book Form A sample of our Master Salesmanship. Ask us to mail it to you.

LORD & THOMAS
Advertising—Chicago
S. E. Corner Wabash Avenue and Madison Street

Just Out In Book Form A sample of our Master Salesmanship. Ask us to mail it to you.

BIGELOW CLASS GROWS

The men's Bible class of Bigelow Sunday school had a healthy increase Sunday morning notwithstanding the inclement weather. There were 104 present, and 518 in the entire Sunday school.

This is evidence that the men's Bible class of a Sunday school is the key to the proposition of attendance. When there is a large attendance in the men's Bible glass the whole school increases in attendance in proportion. It would seem that when a man makes up his mind to attend Sunday school he is apt to take some of his family with him. There were many new faces in all parts of the school Sunday morning. The slogan for the men's Bible class next Sunday is 125.

MANLY CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Hart, pastor of Manly church, explained the meaning of "Selah," in his Sunday morning sermon. He said in part:

There are many definitions of the word "Selah" given by master minds, and nearly all of them different. If great men can't agree how can we? But it makes but little difference whether we understand its meaning or not, since a knowledge of it will not save a soul; nor will a lack of such knowledge keep a soul from being saved.

The most general belief is that it is a word used as a musical direction, to indicate the power of tone, much as we use Forte, Fortissimo, vivace, etc.,

The choir at that time occupied the gallery; there being several divisions, each having a separate director. The choir, which often consisted of thousands of voices, would sing a stanza, the congregation taking up the second, and so on. When all divisions of the of the choir were to take up the song, simultaneously, with energy and boldness, "Selah" was used to indicate it.

He said the Psalms contain songs, suited to all the moods of human nature.

The modern lesson is this: All trials, troubles, disappointments and difficulties can be drowned in song.

Set your temptations to a tune and the devil will flee, for he has no song. He cannot win if you'll take the name of Jesus with you in song.

Set your joys to a tune. If God has blessed you, pull out the stops and "make a joyful sound." "Selah." God never intended that you should be a walking funeral dirge.

Set your sorrows to a tune. The eye may glisten with the unbidden tear, rejoice that the great "Burden-Bearer" is near and that to help.

Set your death to a tune. What is more beautiful than the words of David, "Yet, though I walk through the valley of death, Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me," or of Moody, who said, "Earth is receding, heaven is approaching, God is calling, and I must go."

At the evening service the sixth of a series of sermons on "The Bible" was preached.

Next Sunday morning the topic will be "Jesus' Mother." At a later date he will preach on "Jesus' Brothers and Sisters."

NOTES

All members of the White Side of the Epworth League are urged to attend a meeting on Monday evening, at the home of Ella Ressinger, of Seventh street.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Eliza Chabot, of Summit street. Assistant hostesses are Mesdames Brooks Silas Cole, J. Dunn, Lillian Dunn and Isaac Clark. A short business session will be followed by a program.

W. P. Bennett's Sunday school class will hold an all-day's bazaar at Freshour's grocery on Saturday, Dec. 20th.

The primary department will give a social in the church basement on Thursday evening, Dec. 18th. They will also have on sale fancy articles, suitable for Christmas gifts. See these before you buy.

Attention K. Of C.

The Knights of Columbus will meet Tuesday night instead of tonight so as not to interfere with services that will be held tonight in the St. Mary's and Holy Redeemer churches.

Has Opened New Shop

Emil Arthurs has arranged to open a bicycle repair shop in the Haldeman property at 534 Gallia street and his brother, William, will be in charge of it.

Ticket From His Mother

Receiving a ticket from his mother, Harry Ash, the suspect, thought to be deserter from the navy, left Saturday afternoon for his home in Rochester, N. Y. The local authorities in communication with the navy officials at Washington learned that the young man was not wanted for desertion.

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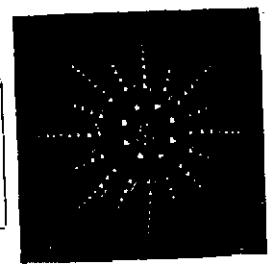

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"At Christmas time the open hand
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Christmas with its venerable association becomes still more emphatically earth's most delightful season when there is real joy in giving—and no worries regarding gift selection. Mark this Christmas in a special way—make it one always to be remembered by the gift of a diamond.

The Diamond imparts the real Christmas spirit. Its beauty will never grow lose—its value will increase each year

That it may be a gift entirely satisfactory and perfect in every way, select it at Albert Zoellner's.

Our judgment in many years of judging diamonds is your knowledge that your selection will be a good one. Among the finer kinds of diamond jewelry we exhibit diamond rings, solitaire and cluster, brooches, necklaces, la vallieres, scarf pins and cuff buttons.

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COOK'S IMPERIAL DOMESTIC CHAMPAGNE	IN PINTS	$1.00
	IN QUARTS	$1.75
WHITE SEAL IMPORTED CHAMPAGNE	IN PINTS	$2.25
MUMM'S EXTRA DRY IMPORTED CHAMPAGNE	IN PINTS	$2.25

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CAUGHT NAPPING

The blizzard caught a good many men without a good, warm, comfortable overcoat, and the way Hall Bros., in the Masonic Temple, were selling overcoats today is very evident they have a stock that is pleasing many men of this city. The newest of styles are seen at this store and in fabrics of Montagnacs, Chinchillas, Friezes, Meltons and Thibets in blacks, blues, grays and fancy patterns. adv

Coal in Cole's Eye.

William Cole ran into another "coal" Monday, but it happened to be a member of the red hot family of coals and when it lodged in his right eye he sustained a painful injury. Luckily the eye ball was not seriously burned. Cole is employed as a fireman on the N. & W.

O'Day is Back.

Mike O'Day, who has been in New York state on a visit of several weeks to relatives and friends, has returned to Portsmouth. Mike says he is not flirting with the Federal league.

Contractors Will Meet.

The Contractors' association will meet tonight at their quarters in the First National Bank building. They will elect officers on Monday, January 5.

Elks Meeting.

The Elks will meet in regular session Wednesday night. A number of applications will be balloted upon an darrangements to admit a class of candidates later on will be completed.

Secures License

A. A. Richards secured a peddler's license fro mthe city authorities Monday.

John Schwartz, of Apple Grove, Meigs county, came down from that village Monday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwartz, of Third street, for a few days.

Miss Margaret Appel, who recently was bitten by a dog suffering with the rabies, has completed the course of treatment sent to her by the state board of health and is feeling no ill-effects from it.

Miss Violet Cunningham, who attends the Southern seminary at Buena Vista, Va., will arrive home the 17th.

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Answer to Why Girls Leave Home:—I regret that I cannot publish your perfumed letter as it contained some valuable information, but owing to its personal nature I fear it would cause more or less trouble and gossip. Why don't you notify the police the next time you see such things going on.

Dear Miss Wise:—If a young lady should want to join the Ben Hur lodge who should she apply to and where does the Ben Hur lodge meet at. I hope you will advise me in evening paper.

A STRANGER IN TOWN.

Apply to C. J. Miller, 721 Third street, phone B-3279. The Ben Hur lodge meets every Friday evening in their hall, corner Fifth and Chillicothe streets.

Dear Miss Wise:—What is the meaning of a kiss?

STEVE.

A kiss means intimacy, and intimacy between men and women should not be cultivated unless they are married or about to be married or are close relatives. Get me Stevie.

Dear Miss Wise:—Will black messaline be worn very much this winter and what do you think would be pretty to trim it with?

MRS. H. M.

Yes. Trim it with lace or fur or both.

Dear Miss Wise:—What will make your hair grow?

GERTRUDE.

Vaseline will help some. Rub it into the scalp thoroughly every day or so.

Dear Miss Wise: How can you tell if a fellow loves you or not?

ROSE-BUD.

By his consideration of you in every respect, and his desire to be with you as much as possible.

Dear Miss Wise: I am 18 years of age and 4 feet 11 inches tall. Am I short for my age? I am 22 waist, 36 bust and 38 hips: am I too stout? I would like to be thinner if possible. How much do you weigh?

MISS STOUT.

You are rather shorter than the average. Some people grow even after they are eighteen. You are a bit too stout for your height and age. To get thinner eat less and exercise more. About 100 pounds.

Dear Miss Wise: What will take freckles off of your face: also, what will make your skin lighter.

A. T. S.

If you are naturally dark nothing will whiten the skin, but if you are only tanned or sunburnt I can recommend either buttermilk or lemon juice. The buttermilk is less severe. Bathe face nightly with it and let dry on the skin. Next morning wash off.

Dear Miss Wise:—What would be a nice Christmas gift for a man?

JANETTEE.

Something simple and inexpensive—preferably something made by yourself. A fob, necktie holder, collar box, brushbroom holder, collar protector, etc.

Dear Miss Wise: Is it all right for me to accept a birthday gift from a young man

ELSA.

Yes, if it is nothing more than candy, flowers or perhaps a pair of gloves. It should not be expensive enough to place you under obligations to him, if you are not engaged to marry him.

Dear Miss Wise: Please tell me how I can remove dark circles from under my eyes? Why are these dark circles on some people and not on others?

TIMES READER.

Poor health or poor circulation will cause dark circles under the eyes. Build up your general health and massage beneath the eyes frequently with a good cold cream.

Dear Miss Wise: What can I do to make my eyebrows lighter. I have ones that look as though someone had painted them, and I want them lighter.

GWEN DOLIN.

I would advise you to let your eyebrows alone. I doubt if they are any too black. If they were lighter, no doubt you would want to know something to make them darker. Some people are never satisfied. Peroxide will bleach the hair, but if you use it be very careful.

Dear Miss Wise:—Please tell me what would be nice to put on the mantle in my library or living room. The mantle is oak?

NEWLYWED.

A brass clock and two brass candlesticks or a couple of brass vases, if you would prefer them to the candlesticks.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am 13 years old. Is it all right for me to be friendly with a young man 19 years old.

BRIGHT EYES.

I presume it is all right, but I would prefer to have my friends nearer my own age than that.

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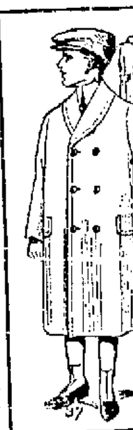

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OBITUARY

Inez Conley

Inez, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Conley of Davis Station, passed away Sunday evening after a short illness with pneumonia. The funeral services were held Monday with interment in the Davis Station cemetery.

FLOYD CLINE

The funeral of Floyd Cline of Fullerton, Ky., who died of typhoid fever, was held Monday at the Fullerton Christian church, Rev. Braden delivering the funeral sermon. The pallbearers were Roy Boggs, Carl Morton, Arthur Miller, Lloyd O'Rourke, William Richards and Elva Williams. The body was taken to Fire Brick, Ky., for burial.

Mrs. Sarah C. Lukemire.

Mrs. Sarah C. Lukemire, a widow, 66 years old, and a resident of this city for only three weeks, died at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of her son, B. B. Lukemire, of 1535 Twelfth street. Her death came at the end of a week's illness with heart and kidney trouble. Mrs. Lukemire came to Portsmouth three weeks ago from her old home at Batavia to make her home with her son, who has been an employe of the [illegible] Lumber company for the past year.

Besides the son with whom she was living, the deceased is survived by another son, William, of Batavia and six sisters and two brothers. Her husband preceded her to the grave four years ago.

The body will be taken to Batavia Tuesday morning, and after short funeral services, will be laid to rest beside her husband in the Batavia cemetery.

Mrs. Fannie Hacquard

When death came [illegible] and stilled the heart of Mrs. Fannie Hacquard, widow of the late Eugene Hacquard, of Front street, a most estimable woman passed to her final reward and [illegible] residents [illegible] Saturday evening [illegible] Front [illegible] services will [illegible] Wednesday morning at [illegible] o'clock.

A native of Germany, Miss [illegible] came to Portsmouth in 18[illegible]. She later married Eugene Hacquard [illegible] [illegible] Great Beyond [illegible] years ago. [illegible] survive, [illegible] of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mrs. Charles Wardell, of Pasadena, Cal.; Edward, a plumber of this city; Mrs. James Quinn city, and Mrs. Florence Apple of Columbus. A sister, Mrs. Barbara Scott, of Columbus, and Rudolph Folmer, of St. Louis, Mo., also survive.

Mrs. Hacquard was seventy-eight years of age when she breathed her last. She was a highly respected woman devoted to her home and family, a friend to all and a faithful member of the Catholic church. A short illness with paralysis preceded the demise. Several weeks ago she was stricken and rendered speechless. Her condition gradually grew worse until the end came Saturday evening while she was surrounded by relatives.

Changes Jobs

George Wills, who has been working at the Chris Wagner shop on Market street, has taken a position at Sperry's barber shop, succeeding Russell Work [illegible], who resigned Saturday night.

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CANARY CAUSED RUMOR

Denial of the report current over the city Monday that the Senate cafe on Chillicothe street had been broken into and robbed Sunday night was made Monday by the proprietor, Henry Ruel. Ruel stated that there were no grounds for the rumor. The police department also disclaim any knowledge of the robbery.

Mr. Ruel stated that the report might have originated from the fact that he had Patrolman Leslie guard the front of his place Sunday evening while he went inside to light the gas stove, as he was afraid that his pet canary bird would freeze to death unless he took this precaution.

COLD SNAPS A CABLE

The sudden contractoin of the steel messenger which held the 100-pair telephone cable on Eleventh street in place, due to the sudden cold snap, released the cable at an early hour Monday morning and it fell across the railroad tracks at the Eleventh street crossing, between Waller and John streets. A train passed over it later, cutting the cable in twain.

Fortunately the cable was a dead one and was being taken down by the company, so that there was no suspension of service caused by the accident. The cable had been replaced by an underground conduit.

Separated Doctors

For the first time in the history of the Scioto county courts, the doctors called as witnesses in a personal injury case were separated as in the case of other witnesses Monday afternoon. Seven physicians summoned to testify in the case of Taylor against the Portsmouth Steel Company now being heard before Judge Thomas were compelled to leave the court room Monday afternoon until called to the stand, a new departure in the local courts according to the oldest court attaches.

Owls To Initiate

Several candidates are to be initiated and other business transacted at a meeting of the Owls tonight (Monday).

Adultery Charged

Attorney Joe T. Micklethwaite filed a suit in divorce Monday afternoon in common pleas court in which Elmer Hosier is plaintiff against Alice Hosier, defendant. The petition avers marriage in 1909 and one child, three years old. Plaintiff alleges that his wife has been guilty of gross neglect; that she refused to prepare his meals and perform other household duties, and that on November 1, 1912, and on numerous other occasions she committed adultery with one Arthur Wendel. He therefore asks for divorce and custody of the child.

The Manly Ladies' Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Chabot, of Summit street.

High School Team Awards Sweaters

This year's football team of the High school held a meeting Monday, at which it was decided as to who would receive their sweaters and letters for taking part in the halves [illegible] of the Thanksgiving game. Four of the players received their sweaters last season and will get letters only this year. Eleven of the boys will receive their sweaters [illegible]. Allen, Bevare and J. Jones are the lettered men. R. Jones, Herr, Brandel, Dowell, Hopkins, Parkinson, Lout, Quinn, Williams, R. Norton, are the boys who will get their sweaters. A captain was also selected for next year and Lout proved the lucky man, receiving an unanimous vote. Lout deserves the captaincy, as he is a heavy and brainy lad who knows where the play should be directed, and if the team next year loses a single game it will not be his fault.

Fred Ward, of Gallipolis, O., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Lockwood, of Fourth street.

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